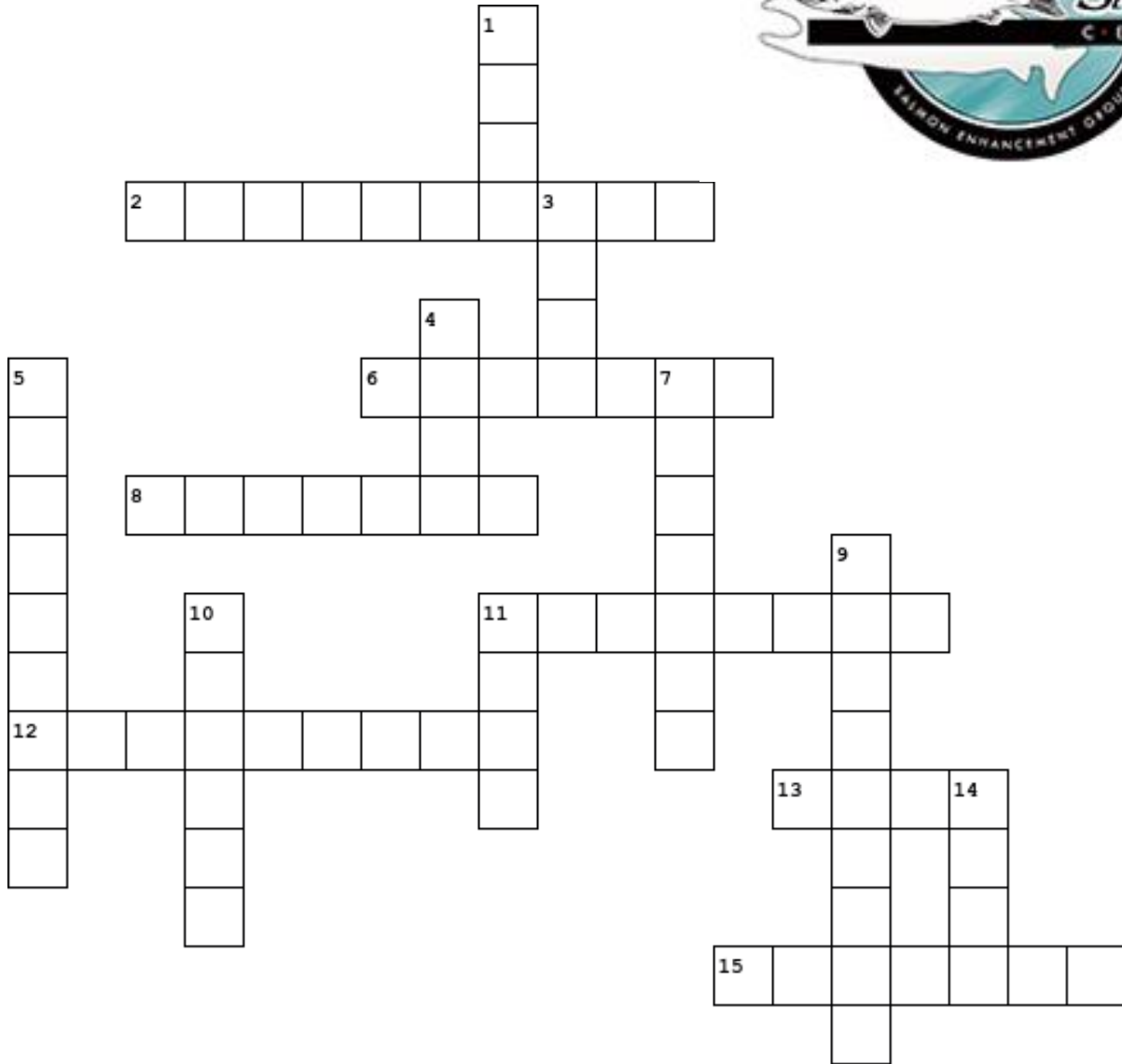


PNW Salmon Crossword



Word Bank

Alevin • Anadromous • Caddisfly • Chinook • Chum • Coho • Culvert • Estuary • Kokanee • Kype
 Merganser • Orca • Pink • Redd • Riparian • Steelhead

Across

- 2** A population of fish that migrates upstream from the ocean to reproduce.
- 6** A form of the sockeye, these pacific salmon do not migrate to the ocean, instead spending the majority of their life in a lake.
- 8** The largest species of pacific salmon, also known as King Salmon.
- 11** The area along the side of a river. The plants that grow here help keep the river clean and cold.
- 12** This pacific salmon is also known as the coastal rainbow trout, it can return to the river to reproduce multiple times in its life span.
- 13** The smallest and most abundant species of pacific salmon.
- 15** A structure that channels flowing water past an obstacle like a road, can greatly affect stream habitats and block salmon passage.

Down

- 1** The pacific salmon species with the largest natural range, also known as Dog Salmon.
- 3** A marine mammal, emblematic of the Pacific Northwest, salmon makes up the majority of their diet in Puget Sound.
- 4** This species of pacific salmon is especially popular with sports fishers, also known as Silver Salmon.
- 5** This sea duck is a major predator to young salmon.
- 7** Where a river meets the ocean, salmon stop here to transition from fresh to saltwater and vice versa.
- 9** The nymphs of this insect make casings to protect themselves, one of many macroinvertebrates young salmon eat.
- 10** The life stage of a newly hatched salmon, they have no mouths and live off the yolk sacs attached to their bellies.
- 11** A salmon nest, dug into river gravel, protects eggs and keeps them oxygenated.
- 14** The hooked jaw male salmon develop when they spawn.