

ANNUAL SEALICE REVIEW MEETING

Thursday 16th April 2009, Gairloch Community Hall

With support from:



Please contact WRFT info@wrft.org.uk if you would like to attend this meeting

AGENDA

Coffee 10.00 -10.30am

10:30 Introduction
Arthur Griffiths (Tripartite Working Group Project Manager)

10:40 The biology of *L. Salmonis*, and sentinel cage work in Loch Torridon.

- Experiences and lessons learned. Campbell Pert (FRS Marine Laboratory)

11:00 Shoreline densities of *Lepeoptheirius salmonis* larvae in Loch Torridon 1999 to 2009. **Jim Raffell (FRS Shieldaig Field Station)**

11:20 Sea lice larvae distribution
Michael Penston (FRS Marine Laboratory)

11:40 Short refreshment break

11:50 A review of Sea lice monitoring of wild fish in the WRFT area in 2007 and 2008 **Peter Cunningham (WRFT)**

12:10 Update on sea lice control at WRF Ardmair & Corry sites. Ardessie site update **Hugh Richards (Wester Ross Fisheries Ltd.)**

12:30 'Mucal barrier technology: Developments in sea lice treatments'. **Chris Wallace (Marine Harvest)**

12:50 Structured discussion to address the following:

- 1. What questions can we address with sea lice data collection?
- 2. Are our methods of data collection adequate to answer the questions?
- 3. What, if any, additional work would be useful over the coming season?
- 4. Who is able to help collect data?
- 5. What equipment / training do they require?

Buffet lunch (suggested donation £4)