

**RECOMMENDED BY -SHELLFISH**  
**DEPARTMENT-**  
**TOWN OF CHILMARK**

**BAY SCALLOP SEASON**

**2023/24**

**Commercial Bay Scallop Season**

**-Commercial harvest of bay scallops for all waters of Chilmark begins Monday November 13, 2023**

**-Commercial Fishing Days - Monday thru Friday (7:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.)**

**-Commercial Limit - Two (2) struck bushels per day.**

**-Check in at Menemsha Harbor or Quitsa Bridge no later than 4:10 P.M.**

**No dragging allowed in Muddy Cove**

**Recreational Bay Scallop Season**

**-Family/ Recreational Season (Dip net only) starts Monday October 10, 2023 (One half (1/2) bushel per week).**

**Dragging allowed on and after November 13, 2023.**

**No dragging allowed in Muddy Cove.**

**Bay Scallop season ends on March 31, 2024 unless otherwise posted.**

# **OYSTER SEASON**

**2023/24**

## **Commercial Oyster Season-Tisbury Great Pond**

**-Commercial Oyster Season - in Tisbury Great Pond begins  
November 13, 2023.**

**-Commercial Limit - 800 count limit per day.**

**-Commercial Fishing Days - Fishermen may harvest oysters only three (3) of the fishing days in a given week. Monday thru Friday (7:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.) Communication to the Shellfish Constable of what days a commercial harvest takes place will be the responsibility of the permit holder. Acceptable communication is a text message or phone call.**

**-Check in at Old Coast Guard Station no later than 4:10 P.M.**

## **Recreational Oyster Season-Tisbury Great Pond**

**-Family/ Recreational Oyster Season- in Tisbury Great Pond begins  
November 13, 2023.**

**-Family Limit- One Half (1/2) Bushels per Week.**

**-Oysters Season ends on March 31, 2024 unless otherwise posted.**