

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 2, 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.