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Marine Harvest Canada partners up with the Campbell River Salmon Foundation



For the second year, the Campbell River Salmon Foundation (CRSF) is pleased to accept a significant donation from Marine Harvest Canada (MHC). Mike Gage, Director at CRSF, was on hand to accept a cheque for \$10,000 from James Gaskill, Production Director at MHC at the annual fundraising dinner and auction held March 21st, 2009 in Campbell River. This was the second successful annual event held by the newly formed Foundation. MHC also donated an eagle mask, carved by local artist John Henderson, to the live auction which received a bid of over \$2300.

“There are so many opportunities for salmon farmers and salmon enhancement societies to share knowledge that will help protect our wild salmon”, says Gaskill, “The CRSF provides valuable expertise and capacity to help improve and protect freshwater habitat for wild salmon, and that’s something we are proud to continue to support.”

The CRSF was formed in 2008 to promote salmon enhancement in watersheds north of the Oyster River and south of the Salmon River and the adjacent mainland coast. Comprised of an experienced and knowledgeable group of working professionals and retirees, the Board of Directors of the CRSF brings a credible resume of past salmon enhancement projects along with a unified and politically neutral mission of enhancing and restoring salmon and their habitat.

MHC is a producer of farm-raised salmon with head offices located in Campbell River. With operations located on and around northern Vancouver Island, MHC and its staff are strong supporters of many local salmon enhancement projects. For more information on MHC’s salmon enhancement involvement, [please click here.](#)

Pictured is Mike Gage (right) accepting the \$10,000 donation from Jamie Gaskill.

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