

HERRING GUT
COASTAL SCIENCE CENTER

Quarterly Report July-Sept 2023

Upcoming Events

- Oct 21 - Watershed Watchers
Ashpoint Preserve
- Nov 2 - Aquatots at Camden Library
- Nov 18 - Watershed Watchers
Gibson Preserve

Programs

SCHOOL PARTNERS

Forman School Ingenuity Program

RSU13 Afterschool
RSU13 MS Alt Ed
RSU13 HS Alt Ed
RSU13 MS G&T
RSU13 HS G&T

St. George School

Campus Visits

Oct 20 - Monique Coombs, Director of Marine Programs at Maine Coast Fishermen's Association

Oct 25 - Beta Eaton, Director of Global and Experiential Learning at Kents Hill

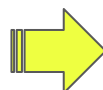
Ongoing MCFA - exploration of marine trades workforce development pathways

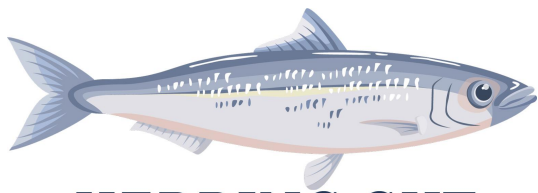
Numbers

	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	TOTALS
Walk-In	201	223	6	2	655
Volunteers	23	42	8	8	123
Family Fun	45	35			80
Aquatots	38	66			104
Tidepool Treks	132	135			267
HS Camp	21				21
Jr. Marine Scientist Camp	60	60			120
Marine Explorers Camp		60			60
RSU 13 Camp	161				161
Rope Class	14				14
Watershed Watchers	5	8	3		24
Warren Library Program	38				38
Asco Project	8				8
Parent/Grandparent Mtg	3				3
Salt Water Fields		223			223
Rockland Library		65			65
F2S Prof Dev		6			6
Warren Library Program	22				22
Jackson Memorial Program		6			6
A Morning in Maine	36	19			55
Allen Island Coastal Birds			14		14
TOTALS	807	948	17	10	2069



Allen Island Coastal Bird Trip led by Philip Conkling and Richard Poldosky
Sept 27, 2023





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Highlights

Herring Gut announced a Yass Prize quarterfinalist with a \$100,000 award. The Yass Prize celebrates education providers who are able and ready to provide a sustainable, transformational, outstanding & permissionless education to all students, no matter the challenges.

Announcements

Herring Gut Staff attended the following meetings and conferences

- What is Maine without Lobster? Sponsored by Maine State Chamber of Commerce
- Working Waterfront Downtown, sponsored by MCFA
- Maine Climate Education Hub, sponsored by Teach ME Outside
- Midcoast Maine Meetup for Environmental Educators Quarterly Meeting
- Seagrass USA Conference
- North American Association for Environmental Education, Alaina presenting on Fresh to Salt Project
- Yass Prize Conference



Testimonials

Congratulations to Herring Gut - who has been a stalwart community partner of ours for many years and an innovator in education! Mike Felton, Superintendent of St. George Municipal School Unit and fellow Yass Prize Semifinalist.