

Water quality throughout Baffin Bay and the ULM remains excellent. Tides still run extremely high on a regular basis, requiring experienced anglers to look for new spots to target fish in some cases. Lately, we have been catching more trout than normal, as compared to a long-term statistical average. On some days, the bite on sinking FatBoys has been excellent, as has the topwater action. More of the time, soft plastics have worked best, rigged on 1/8th ounce jigheads, and tossed around patchy grass beds in waist deep water. During the windiest periods, rigging the same soft plastics under a small cork has enhanced the number of bites. Water temperatures have dipped into the low 50s already, but don't stay in the 50s, due to regular warming trends. If we get some sustained cold weather, we should start to catch more trout over 25 inches, with shots at the 30+ specimens.