

Mississippi MarketMaker Newsletter



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Oyster Season Opening and What's in Season Now!

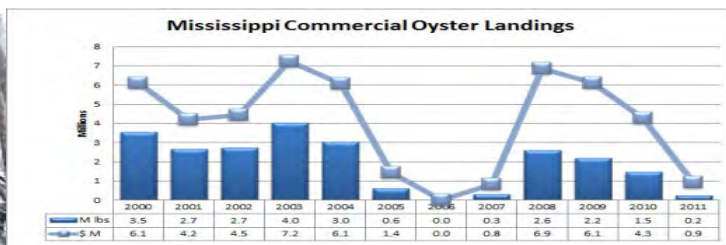
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Limited Oyster Season Opens!

The Mississippi oyster industry consists of the harvesting, processing, wholesaling and retailing sectors. The entire industry generated total sales impacts amounting to \$24 million and provided jobs to more than 550 workers.



Originally set for September 30, the opening of several oyster reefs for commercial tonging was delayed due to heavy rain. Reefs are set to open for commercial dredging on October 14, 2013. For more information regarding oyster season, please visit the Department of Marine Resources website:

<http://www.dmr.ms.gov/joomla16/?view=featured>.

Who Sells Oysters on MS MarketMaker?

Cruise Seafood and Specialty Meats

1501 25th Avenue

Gulfport, MS 39501

Phone: 228-867-1976

MarketMaker Page: <http://ms.marketmaker.uiuc.edu/business/1438443>

“We carry fresh fish, shrimp, crabmeat, and oysters. We carry high quality steaks and meats. If you don't see something you like let us know and we will order it. Call us ahead to place an order.”



Labama Seafood Market

10093 Central Avenue

D'Iberville, MS 39540

Phone: 228-392-0097

MarketMaker Page: <http://ms.marketmaker.uiuc.edu/business/1700779>

Labama Seafood Market is a seafood retailer that also sells po-boys, fried seafood and fried chicken.





South Coast Seafood Company

2335 Government Street

Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Phone: 228-818-9442

Website: www.southcoastseafoodcompany.com

MarketMaker Page: <http://ms.marketmaker.uiuc.edu/business/1352761>

South Coast Seafood Company is a seafood market that also offers gourmet soups and Cajun specialty foods.

What Else is in Season?

Vegetables: Okra, Sweet Potatoes and Peas

Marine Fish/Shellfish: Crab, Drum, Oyster, Flounder, Seatrout and Shrimp

*To find a local business who is selling these items, do a Business Search at the MS MarketMaker website!

<http://webapps.marketmaker.uiuc.edu/marketmaker/#MS/food/productsearch/2351;2352;2401/28>

Where can you find MarketMaker?

MarketMaker (MM) can be viewed at – <http://ms.foodmarketmaker.com>.

You can also find MM by searching for “Mississippi MarketMaker” in your favorite internet search engine.

You can follow MM at Facebook — http://www.facebook.com/MS_MarketMaker.

You can also follow MM at Twitter — http://twitter.com/MS_MarketMaker

Find MM on your smart phone -- <http://ms.foodsearcher.com>

For the full text and previous issues of the MS-MM Newsletter, go to:

<http://www.coastal.msstate.edu/MMNewsletter.html>

<http://msucares.com/newsletters/marketmaker/index.html>

To read the Food MarketMaker September Newsletter, go to:

<http://national.marketmaker.uiuc.edu/uploads/8df1ca7350a7af222d6c481e3ed1581a.pdf>



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