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Lake Roosevelt: Midweek Window, Local PT Clock & Species-Honest Plan

Monday Sep 21 – Thursday Sep 24, 2026 · Lake Roosevelt · bank, kayak & boat · Monday morning through Thursday evening · times in PT

Mon ~84°

Thu ~71°

OTX · PT

No named trail event pulled for Mon–Thu

Roosevelt walleye do not care that it is a Monday — bait on the graph, a slow harness or blade on the break, and a WA-shore hub at Kellers Ferry keep the plan honest.

• MIDWEEK OUTLOOK

NWS OTX / Lake Roosevelt corridor (grid OTX 102,109; pulled Sun Sep 20, 2026 · 09:53 PM CT): Use the daytime cards below for Mon–Thu planning. All reader-facing clock language is **PT** — never force Central on this water.

Barometer / sky: Re-check local METAR and the NWS office page before launch; Sunday evening boards can miss Monday updates.

Crowd: Weekday soft recreational. **No named trail event pulled for Mon–Thu** in this research pass. Looking ahead 1–3 weeks: re-check major trail calendars and agency pages before the Friday Cast — flag sourced events as **Heavy Traffic** when found. Never invent boat counts or fake tournaments.

WINDOW

Mon–Thu

through Thu evening PT

WATER CLARITY / DEPTH

Estimate: often clearer main-lake; arms can stain after wind.
Walleye: breaks and bait
15-35+ ft typical early fall.
SMB: rock points shallower at dawn.

CROWD / PRESSURE

Weekday soft. **No named trail event pulled for Mon–Thu.**
Soft recreational only — no invented boat counts.

Primary species: Walleye. **Also on this water:** see section below — water-first, not bass-by-default when another species leads.

MONDAY SEP 21

**~84°F · Sunny · precip ~0% ·
wind SE 6 mph**

Dawn primary window for Walleye

Soft weekday recreational pressure

TUESDAY SEP 22

**~78°F · Mostly Sunny · precip
~0% · wind S 1 to 8 mph**

Dawn primary window for Walleye

Soft weekday recreational pressure

WEDNESDAY SEP 23

**~71°F · Mostly Sunny · precip
~0% · wind S 1 to 8 mph**

Dawn primary window for Walleye

Soft weekday recreational pressure

THURSDAY SEP 24

**~71°F · Mostly Cloudy · precip
~12% · wind NE 5 mph**

Dawn primary window for Walleye

Soft weekday recreational pressure

● DAM & CURRENT / GENERATOR SCHEDULE CHEAT SHEET

Grand Coulee / Lake Roosevelt elevations drive shoreline access — pull USBR/NPS lake level before launch. Never invent elev. Generation below Coulee is a separate story from this lake-elev product. Access hub: **Kellers Ferry Marina public launch (Lincoln Co.) — WA hub**. Agency framing: NPS Lake Roosevelt / USBR Grand Coulee.

PROJECT / WATER	OBSERVED	GENERATOR SCHEDULE	HOW TO FISH IT
Lake Roosevelt	No live USGS elev/cfs pulled for this product in this batch.	No fixed Mon–Thu public unit calendar confirmed in this pull.	Fish habitat and bait first; when discharge pulses, seams and bait rearrange.
NPS Lake Roosevelt / USBR Grand Coulee	Do not invent elev/cfs. Sunday evening boards are often thin — soft re-check before launch.	Use agency recording/web boards when listed. Soft re-check language only.	Stay out of restricted lock/dam water.

Schedules change — re-check before launch.

● HOW TO FISH IT — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

Public rocky banks near Kellers Ferry fish for SMB at dawn with tubes and Ned rigs; walleye bank bites are shorter windows. Mind NPS shoreline rules, private leases, and steep footing.

KAYAK

Kayak protected bays and windward points; long main-lake crossings are a bad idea when afternoon wind stacks up. PFD, VHF/phone plan, and stay off restricted Coulee-adjacent water.

BOAT

Graph bait first, then harnesses, blades, or jigs on the break for walleye. Soft weekday recreational pressure. Re-check marina ramp and lake elev if levels are moving.

● LURE BOX — TOP / MID / BOTTOM

TOP

Small walker for SMB on calm rock
Popper on points

MID

Crawler harness / slow troll
Spinner / soft plastics on bait
Crankbait along breaks

BOTTOM

Blade bait / jigging rap
Jig + plastic or crawler
Tube for SMB on rock

Stain/clear: Match darker profiles in stained cover; natural/green/smoke when clearer. Tie lure size to forage below.

● PRIMARY LIFE STAGE + WHAT'S ON THE MENU

Walleye — Early-fall walleye transition — bait and breaks set depth more than a calendar spawn story.

What's on the menu (dated hatch thin — most likely): Yellow perch and juvenile baitfish most likely for walleye; craw for SMB. Do not invent hatch timing.

● ALSO HOT / ALSO IN SEASON

- **Smallmouth bass** — rock and points
- **Rainbow trout** — seasonal troll/bait
- **Kokanee** — deeper seasonal

WDFW fishing regulations: wdfw.wa.gov/fishing/regulationslive-check only; do not hardcode inches or seasons.

● ETHANOL-FREE FUEL NEAR THIS WATER

PURE-GAS.ORG E0 · NEAR THIS WATER

Source: [Pure-Gas.org](https://pure-gas.org) station identity · pulled **Sun Sep 20, 2026 · 09:53 PM CT**

Current prices (as of Sun Sep 20, 2026 · 09:53 PM CT) — may change; verify at the pump. Pure-Gas does not publish pump prices. Station-specific E0 prices were not confirmed in this batch — price not listed — verify at pump. Do not treat area regular as confirmed E0.

Keller Ferry Marina — 45751 Hwy 21 N, Wilbur, WA · ~0.2 mi · 93 octane E0 — Premium no-ethanol available on the water, June through September.price not listed — verify at pump509-647-5755[Pure-Gas](https://pure-gas.org)

Ag Link — 214 Se Brace St, Wilbur, WA · ~11.9 mi · 92 octane E0price not listed — verify at pump509-647-5586[Pure-Gas](https://pure-gas.org)

Whitley Fuel Card Lock — 529 Midway Ave, Grand Coulee, WA · ~14.6 mi · 87 octane E0 — Just started in the premium only.price not listed — verify at pump509-422-3120[Pure-Gas](https://pure-gas.org)

Coulee Playland — 401 Coulee Blvd E, Electric City, WA · ~15.6 mi · 90 octane E0price not listed — verify at pump509-633-2671[Pure-Gas](https://pure-gas.org)

● LOOKING AHEAD

Pattern shifts into early October. **No named trail event pulled for Mon–Thu** and **no named looking-ahead trail event pulled for the next 1–3 weeks** on this water from calendars checked in this pass. Re-pull agency boards and trail calendars for the Friday Cast. Flag sourced events as Heavy Traffic when found.

Sources: NWS api.weather.gov (OTX grid OTX 102,109) · NPS Lake Roosevelt / USBR Grand Coulee · USGS where noted · Pure-Gas.org GraphQL stationsByState (Sun Sep 20, 2026 · 09:53 PM CT) · WDFW fishing regulations. Schedules and prices change — re-check before launch.

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