Monday Cast live · Nov 16–18, 2026

Weather
National Weather Service forecast for Foster · Green Peter area

Foster · Green Peter

Oregon
Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18, 2026 · Pacific Time · Largemouth · Smallmouth

BITE ODDS · THIS CAST

Strong odds

8/10

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PRESSURE	STORMS	WIND	SKY / RAIN	BASS STAGE	CROWD
+ Stable pattern	+ No lightning	+ 3–5 mph usable ripple	− Rain up to ~76%	+ Fall transition	+ Weekday · lighter traffic

WEEK Early-week setup on this water — highs **49–53°F**, lows **34–39°F**, rain chance up to **~76%**. Story is the wet stretch — bite windows ride the rain timing, not the calendar.

THREE-DAY WEATHER

MONDAY NOV 16

51° F high

LOW	37°F
SKY	Chance Rain Showers
WIND	NW 3 mph
RAIN	~46%
SUN	7:07 AM / 4:42 PM

Frame: Cold start — let the sun warm the shallows; the better bite often comes later in the day.

TUESDAY NOV 17

53° F high

LOW	39°F
SKY	Mostly Sunny then Slight Chance Light Rain
WIND	SE 3 mph
RAIN	~76%
SUN	7:09 AM / 4:41 PM

Frame: Wet day — fish the front side of the rain; slow down and stay close to cover after it passes.

WEDNESDAY NOV 18

49° F high

LOW	34°F
SKY	Light Rain Likely
WIND	SSE 1–5 mph
RAIN	~62%
SUN	7:10 AM / 4:40 PM

Frame: Wet day — fish the front side of the rain; slow down and stay close to cover after it passes.

Window: Mon–Wed · Air: NW → SE → SSE · Bite window: dawn + last light

HOW TO FISH THIS WEATHER

MORNING

- Shallow cover, points, creek mouths
- **First light (7:07 AM PST) → ~9 AM**
- Use any ripple as cover

MIDDAY

- Shade lines, docks, deeper edges
- Electronics for bait height first
- Slow down once the sun is overhead

EVENING

- Revisit shallow shade as sun drops
- Topwater if the surface lays down
- Weekday traffic is lighter — work quiet pockets

FALL TRANSITION **Largemouth plan: Follow shad into the backs of creeks and flats 1-10 ft; spinnerbait, squarebill and topwater at a fast pace.**

BIOLOGY

BASS STAGE

Largemouth are in the fall transition — following bait into creeks and onto flats as water cools.

Basis: estimated water ~55°F — 75-day observed air record (NOAA ACIS) lagged for a lake (14-day response); no water-temperature gauge on the lake; air record trending rising

NATURAL FORAGE

What's on the menu: Dated hatch reports for this exact window are thin. Most likely forage is bluegill and young crappie around Foster grass and wood, with crawfish on Green Peter rock and harder bottom, plus small baitfish wherever birds work.

ALSO BITING

Smallmouth · Green Peter rock. Green Peter riprap and points are the smallmouth callout when Foster largemouth pause.

PRESSURE

Weekday traffic — lighter than the weekend. Fish early, give ramps and swim areas room.

DAM & WATER — GENERATION SCHEDULE

FIXED Dam-controlled water. No generation schedule posted by USACE NWDP for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 — check the operator page the morning you fish; releases and pool levels change daily. Stay outside buoyed restricted zones.

ITEM	NOTE	SOURCE
Foster Reservoir	No generation schedule posted by USACE NWDP for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18	USACE NWDP
Green Peter Reservoir	No generation schedule posted by USACE NWDP for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 Observed: pool 814.85 ft (Mon 4:20 AM CT); observed outflow (USACE) 1,100 cfs (Mon 3:00 AM CT)	USACE NWDP
Permit / regs	Start along the day-use shoreline at Sunnyside County Park on Foster before picnic traffic, then walk reachable Green Peter shore near Whitcomb Creek or Thistle Creek where rock and brush still come close to the bank.	

ACCESS — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

Bring a light layer for the cool dawn. Start along the day-use shoreline at Sunnyside County Park on Foster before picnic traffic, then walk reachable Green Peter shore near Whitcomb Creek or Thistle Creek where rock and brush still come close to the bank.

KAYAK

Launch at Sunnyside County Park for short paddles into Foster's Gedney Creek and grass edges, or at Whitcomb Creek for Green Peter rock without long open-water crossings. Soft breeze makes it easy to hold on an outer weed or rock edge with a swim jig or tube and work a short stretch thoroughly.

BOAT

Launch at Sunnyside County Park on Foster or the posted public ramps toward Whitcomb Creek / Thistle Creek on Green Peter. Call Linn County Parks if ramp ends looked shallow last trip. Idle carefully near dam restricted zones, then fish a frog or walking bait along Foster grass in the first hour.

LURE BOX

TOP

Small frog in black or white over Foster grass. Buzzbait along shaded timber at dawn. Walking bait on calm, slick mornings.

MID

3/8 oz swim jig in green pumpkin or bluegill. Squarebill crankbait along wood and grass holes. Spinnerbait in white or chartreuse for low light.

BOTTOM

Texas-rigged creature bait in timber holes. Punch rig or flipping jig in thicker Foster mats. Ned rig or light football jig on Green Peter rock.