

FINISH!

YOU MADE IT UP
THE HERRING RUN TO THE
SPAWNING GROUNDS!

**YOU'RE CAUGHT
BY AN OSPREY!**
Go back to start.

LOW WATER!
Too shallow here.
Wait for the water
to rise.
Lose 1 turn.

**YOU WERE
SPOTTED BY
HUNGRY GULLS!**
Better hide.
Lose a turn.

Say hi to the
herring monitors!

**MISSED THE
LADDER!**
Go back 2 spaces.

**MISSED THE
LADDER!**
Go back 3
spaces.

**FISH
LADDER!**
Swim ahead
4 spaces.

**HUNGRY RIVER
OTTER!**
Go back 2 to
escape.

SUN!
Water
temperature rises.
Swim ahead 2.

**A
VOLUNTEER
CLEARED OUT
SOME DEBRIS!**
Say thank you
and swim ahead 1.

OBSTRUCTION!
A narrow
culvert under a
road is in your way.
Go back to start.

WATCH OUT!
A raccoon is
fishing for dinner.
Go back 1.

**START OFF
THE JOURNEY BIG
AND HEALTHY.**
Swim ahead 1.

WHAT IS A HERRING RUN?

Herring runs are rivers or creeks that river herring swim up to reach freshwater ponds. There are two kinds of river herring: alewife and blueback herring. Sometimes creeks are restricted by culverts which obstruct fish passage. These can be removed or widened to allow more water through and a safer passage for river herring.

GOAL: Make it up the herring run to the pond.
On your way, keep an eye out for animals that like to eat herring! Can you spot all these **PREDATORS?**

START

Temperatures here are just right,
but it's time to leave the ocean
and head upstream!