

The Denman Firestarter

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THE ISLAND

Denman hearing draws questions on proposed beach-driving bylaw

Residents questioned how proposed Bylaw No. 225 would affect aquaculture access and how the rules could be enforced.

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A public hearing on proposed Bylaw No. 225 took place at the Denman Activity Centre on March 6, after a community information meeting on the proposal. The meeting minutes record about thirty members of the public in attendance.¹

The proposal would add a general prohibition on vehicles and ground-based machinery in the W1, W3 and W4 zones, with an

information note about licensed aquaculture operations. Staff said the Local Trust Committee had received legal advice that it could not regulate fisheries under federal jurisdiction.¹

Residents asked why the aquaculture zone was included, whether the proposal had been assessed for its effects, and how it could be enforced. Staff said the bylaw would prohibit driving unrelated to

aquaculture tenures and that enforcement would be difficult without full-time staff on Denman; Islands Trust bylaw enforcement is generally complaint-based.¹

The minutes say written or verbal submissions could be received until the public hearing closed. They do not record a decision on Bylaw No. 225.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman table tennis tournament listed for Saturday

The island’s annual table tennis tournament is scheduled for March 10 at the Denman Activity Centre.

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The Islands Grapevine lists the Denman Island annual table tennis tournament for 8 a.m. Saturday, March 10, at the Denman Activity Centre.¹

The newsletter’s events calendar gives the date, start time and venue; it does not report the tournament as having taken place.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

Forecast on record for this week. Later weather is not in this box.

Thu 2018-03-08: Rain; 7°C / 2°C; wind W 7 kn; daylight 06:50–18:12; moon Waning Gibbous, 64% lit; low water 4:17 AM (3 m), high water 10:05 AM (4.3 m), low water 5:14 PM (1.8 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2018-03-08

	Thu 08	Fri 09	Sat 10	Sun 11	Mon 12	Tue 13	Wed 14
Sky	Rain	Overcast	Mainly clear	Partly cloudy	Overcast	Light rain	Overcast
High	7°C	10°C	10°C	11°C	13°C	10°C	11°C
Low	2°C	0°C	-1°C	-1°C	0°C	3°C	4°C
Wind	W 7 kn	E 7 kn	E 5 kn	NNE 7 kn	N 6 kn	E 7 kn	ESE 9 kn
Daylight	06:50–18:12	06:48–18:14	06:46–18:15	06:44–18:17	07:42–19:18	07:40–19:20	07:38–19:22
Moon	Waning Gibbous	Last Quarter	Last Quarter	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent

Open-Meteo historical forecast. Tides: Canadian Hydrographic Service.

DENMAN FIRE RESCUE

Emergencies: **911**. Denman Island Fire Rescue is a volunteer department. This space is theirs in every edition, free, and is not for sale.

Burning restrictions change through the season. Check before you light anything — including this newspaper.

Sources

Every claim in this edition is cited. Full documents, and the checks each source passed, are at denmanisland.co/news — or ask us and we will post you a copy.

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- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, March 6, 2018 — “Approximately thirty (30) members of the public”

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- 1. The Islands Grapevine, March 8, 2018 — “DI ANNUAL TABLE TENNIS TOURNIE 8 am DAC(DI)”

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