

The Denman Firestarter

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THE ISLAND

Denman herring run draws fishing fleet to island waters

A large fleet was reported off Fillongley and Cokley Cove during the herring run.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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A Denman Island writer described a large fishing fleet working the waters near Fillongley and Cokley Cove during the herring run. The writer said the water at Cokley Cove had turned milky white and that boats were still fishing that night.¹

The account said the writer lost count at 120 boats and saw seabirds, sea lions and orcas in the area. It also described nets being set and hauled, and herring washing up on shore.¹

The writer argued that the commercial roe fishery was unsustainable and linked herring to salmon food supplies. Those are the writer’s claims; the account does not include a response from fishery officials.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman dance fundraiser scheduled for Saturday

An old-time square dance fundraiser is listed for the Denman Community Hall on March 23.

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An old-time square dance fundraiser is scheduled for Saturday at the Denman Community Hall, according to the coming-week events listing in the Islands Grapevine.¹

The listing gives a start time of 5:30 p.m. and directs readers to a separate page for details.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2019-03-21: Mainly clear; 18°C / 4°C; wind ESE 9 kn; daylight 07:23–19:32; moon Full Moon, 100% lit; low water 12:23 AM (1.4 m), high water 6:56 AM (4.6 m), low water 1:03 PM (2 m), high water 6:59 PM (4.5 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2019-03-21

	Thu 21	Fri 22	Sat 23	Sun 24	Mon 25	Tue 26	Wed 27
Sky	Mainly clear	Light drizzle	Mainly clear	Clear	Light drizzle	Overcast	Mainly clear
High	18°C	15°C	13°C	14°C	12°C	13°C	16°C
Low	4°C	5°C	4°C	2°C	3°C	5°C	2°C
Wind	ESE 9 kn	ESE 13 kn	ENE 7 kn	N 5 kn	NW 5 kn	SE 8 kn	WNW 6 kn
Daylight	07:23–19:32	07:21–19:34	07:19–19:35	07:17–19:37	07:15–19:38	07:12–19:40	07:10–19:41
Moon	Full Moon	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous

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. The Islands Grapevine, March 21, 2019 — “we lost count at 120 – an intimidating armada of steel and aluminum”

Denman dance fundraiser scheduled for Saturday

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, March 21, 2019 — “OLD TIME SQUARE DANCE 5:30pm • Community Hall(DI)”

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