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Back issue. The Denman Firestarter did not exist on 2020-11-12. This edition was compiled on 2026-10-01 from the public record as it stood on 2020-11-12, and contains nothing dated after that day — no outcomes, no hindsight. It is a reconstruction of what was on the record at the time, not a document from the time.

THE ISLAND

Denman Green application remains under review

The Denman Housing Association asked the Local Trust Committee to advance its rezoning application while water requirements and financing deadlines remain in play.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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The Denman Housing Association asked the Denman Island Local Trust Committee on Nov. 3 to expedite its Denman Green rezoning application and schedule community consultation before the committee’s next meeting. The request followed an update on water requirements and financing deadlines.¹

Simon Palmer told the committee that meetings had been held with Island Health staff, written support had been received for the

proposed water source, and the association was working to resolve Island Health’s requirements for water sufficiency.¹

Trustees said they were willing to hold a special meeting if appropriate after receiving Island Health’s water-source approval for review. The minutes do not record that approval as having been submitted.¹

The application concerns proposed affordable rental housing. At an August community information meeting, the proposal included 20 affordable rental homes on a portion of land proposed for rezoning; the minutes said more information was needed before a public hearing could be scheduled.²

THE ISLAND

Christmas hamper program seeks donations and volunteers

The Denman Island Community Education Society is preparing holiday hampers and is accepting donations and registrations.

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The Denman Island Community Education Society is preparing its Christmas Hamper Program and is seeking donations of gifts, non-perishable food, cash and cheques. Gift donations are accepted at Denman Hardware during business hours, while food donations are accepted at the Community School Portable on Wednesdays and Thursdays, from 4 to 7 p.m.¹

The society said hamper packing and gift wrapping are scheduled for Dec. 22 at the Community Hall. Volunteers are asked to wear masks and practise physical distancing.¹

People seeking a hamper are asked to submit a registration form at the Community School Portable before Dec. 14. The notice says requests remain confidential.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2020-11-12: Light rain; 7°C / 5°C; wind SE 16 kn; daylight 07:26–16:43; moon Waning Crescent, 14% lit; high water 2:46 AM (3.9 m), low water 8:32 AM (2.2 m), high water 2:45 PM (4.7 m), low water 9:33 PM (1.5 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2020-11-12>

	Thu 12	Fri 13	Sat 14	Sun 15	Mon 16	Tue 17	Wed 18
Sky	Light rain	Dense drizzle	Light rain	Rain	Snow	Light rain	Rain
High	7°C	9°C	7°C	10°C	6°C	12°C	7°C
Low	5°C	2°C	2°C	4°C	2°C	5°C	5°C
Wind	SE 16 kn	NW 13 kn	ESE 17 kn	S 16 kn	NNW 7 kn	SE 23 kn	SSW 7 kn
Daylight	07:26–16:43	07:28–16:41	07:29–16:40	07:31–16:39	07:32–16:37	07:34–16:36	07:36–16:35
Moon	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	New Moon	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing 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, Nov. 3, 2020 — “He requested that, in consideration of this information and the financing deadlines, the LTC expedite advancement of the rezoning application and schedule community consultation prior to the next LTC meeting.”
- 2. Denman Island Local Trust Committee special meeting minutes, Aug. 6, 2020 — “The eight hectare portion for the affordable housing would require the dwellings to be rental tenure with a housing agreement to maintain the affordable nature;”

Christmas hamper program seeks donations and volunteers

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, Nov. 12, 2020 — “To sign up for a Christmas Hamper fill out a registration form and drop it off at the envelope outside the portable at the Community School before Monday, Dec 14th.”

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