

THE ISLAND

Denman Post Office asks residents to help manage holiday mail rush

The island post office says heavy mail volumes and limited space are lengthening waits and asks residents to follow its queue and parcel instructions.

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The Denman Island Post Office says it is handling a heavy volume of mail and asks customers to wait on the porch until signalled, with people waiting for the post office on the left side and store shoppers on the right.¹

The notice says only one person can be served at a time under COVID protocols and asks customers to wear a mask at the General Store and post office.¹

For outgoing U.S. and international parcels, the post office asks customers to enter customs information online before bringing

parcels in, where possible.¹

The notice also asks residents expecting parcels to check their community mail boxes daily so the parcel bins can be emptied; it says space at the post office is limited.¹

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Denman Green application awaits water-source review

The Denman Island Local Trust Committee discussed the affordable-housing proposal after the applicant reported written support for its water source from Island Health staff.

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The Denman Housing Association told the Denman Island Local Trust Committee on November 3 that it had received written support from Island Health staff for the Denman Green project’s source water and was working to resolve Island Health’s requirements for water sufficiency.¹

The applicant asked the committee to advance the rezoning application and schedule community consultation before its next meeting, citing financing deadlines, according to the minutes.¹

Trustees said they were willing to hold a special meeting if appropriate after the Island Health water-source approval was submitted for their review.¹

The minutes record that the committee had not yet considered first reading of the proposed bylaws at that point: staff presented amended proposed bylaws and asked trustees to consider first reading.¹

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Christmas hamper donations sought on Denman

DICES is accepting money, gifts and non-perishable food for its Christmas hamper program, with registration due before December 14.

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DICES is seeking donations for its Christmas hampers, including cash or cheques at the General Store and Abraxas, gifts at Denman Hardware, and non-perishable food at the Community School Portable on Wednesdays and Thursdays.¹

The notice says hamper registration forms must be submitted before Monday, Dec.

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2020-12-10: Fog; 7°C / 3°C; wind W 3 kn; daylight 08:05–16:21; moon Waning Crescent, 27% lit; high water 1:27 AM (3.7 m), low water 6:52 AM (2.5 m), high water 1:16 PM (4.8 m), low water 8:21 PM (1.5 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/
british-columbia/denman-island/
week/2020-12-10

	Thu 10	Fri 11	Sat 12	Sun 13	Mon 14	Tue 15	Wed 16
Sky	Fog	Light drizzle	Overcast	Light rain	Drizzle	Rain	Rain
High	7°C	6°C	5°C	4°C	7°C	9°C	8°C
Low	3°C	2°C	2°C	3°C	3°C	5°C	6°C
Wind	W 3 kn	NW 5 kn	S 5 kn	S 10 kn	NE 12 kn	S 15 kn	SE 14 kn
Daylight	08:05–16:21	08:06–16:20	08:07–16:20	08:08–16:20	08:09–16:20	08:10–16:21	08:10–16:21
Moon	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	New Moon	New Moon	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. The Islands Grapevine, December 10, 2020 — “The Denman Island Post Office has been swamped with mail.”

Denman Green application awaits water-source review

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, November 3, 2020 — “He reported that information has been provided as to Island Health’s requirements for sufficiency of water and that Denman Housing Association is working to resolve issues relating to those requirements.”

Christmas hamper donations sought on Denman

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, December 10, 2020 — “Donations and gifts are gratefully accepted until Dec 19th.”

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