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THE ISLAND

DICES reviews its COVID safeguards for fall programs

The Denman community service agency says it is reviewing how it manages COVID risks as it prepares for the fall.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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DICES council is reviewing its COVID policy and management approach in line with provincial health directives, according to a notice in this week’s Grapevine.¹ The notice says the review could affect when and how DICES delivers programs and how it works with partners, including the school district.¹ DICES says it intends to continue its programs and services, and that it will communicate the steps once they are finalized.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman housing agreement advances through third reading

The Local Trust Committee approved amendments to the housing agreement bylaw and gave it third reading.

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The Denman Island Local Trust Committee gave third reading on September 7 to an amended housing agreement bylaw for the Denman Community Land Trust Association.¹

The amendments include changing the association’s address in the bylaw and revising eligibility language for affordable dwelling units, including provisions for Indigenous elders.¹

The committee also resolved to forward the bylaw to the Islands Trust Executive Committee for approval.¹

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Denman playwright’s digital production is scheduled for October

A Grapevine arts feature says Virtual Ecstasy is set to launch online on October 1.

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A Grapevine arts feature says Denman playwright Dante Ambriel’s digital play, Virtual Ecstasy, is scheduled to launch online on October 1.¹

The feature describes the production as a digital rendition created with actors, sets, projections, effects and a soundtrack, and says it explores isolation and digital technology.¹

The article says the production will be available online and that more details are to follow.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2021-09-16: Overcast; 17°C / 6°C; wind ESE 8 kn; daylight 06:57–19:34; moon Waxing Gibbous, 74% lit; high water 12:18 AM (4 m), low water 8:15 AM (1.1 m), high water 4:18 PM (4.4 m), low water 9:44 PM (3.4 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2021-09-16>

	Thu 16	Fri 17	Sat 18	Sun 19	Mon 20	Tue 21	Wed 22
Sky	Overcast	Heavy rain	Light rain	Overcast	Fog	Overcast	Overcast
High	17°C	13°C	18°C	17°C	15°C	18°C	18°C
Low	6°C	10°C	12°C	10°C	9°C	10°C	11°C
Wind	ESE 8 kn	SE 14 kn	S 10 kn	NE 4 kn	ESE 7 kn	SE 5 kn	N 9 kn
Daylight	06:57–19:34	06:58–19:32	07:00–19:29	07:01–19:27	07:03–19:25	07:04–19:23	07:06–19:21
Moon	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Full Moon	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.

DICES reviews its COVID safeguards for fall programs

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, September 16, 2021 — “The implementation of these steps will be fully communicated once finalized.”

Denman housing agreement advances through third reading

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, September 7, 2021 — “that Denman Island Local Trust Committee Bylaw No. 239, cited as “Denman Island Housing Agreement Bylaw No. 239, 2020”, be read a third time.”

Denman playwright’s digital production is scheduled for October

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, September 16, 2021 — “This DijiStagePlay will be launched October 1 and will available to everyone to enjoy online.”

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