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THE ISLAND

Denman Trust appoints housing advisory commission

The Local Trust Committee appointed seven members to its Housing Advisory Planning Commission and discussed the island’s housing review.

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The Denman Island Local Trust Committee appointed seven members to its Housing Advisory Planning Commission at a special meeting on April 25. The appointments took effect immediately and run to April 25, 2025.¹

The committee discussed a short timeline for a proposed Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation grant application. The minutes say the expedited process was not supported because members recognized the need for adequate community and commission consultation and careful consideration at a pace that works for the community.¹

The committee is beginning a Housing Review Project examining bylaws and housing options. It asked staff to provide the commission with the Official Community Plan, Land Use Bylaw and Housing Review, and asked staff to provide hard copies of the island’s Official Community Plan and Land Use Bylaws to the local trustees.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman Hardware marks 30 years in the community

The store’s owners thanked customers as Denman Hardware marked three decades since the business began.

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Denman Hardware marked its 30-year anniversary, according to a notice in this week’s Islands Grapevine. The notice says Clark and Gloria started a hardware outlet in the spring of 1993.¹

The current owners said they had owned the store for five years and thanked customers for helping keep its doors open. They also said they hoped to serve the community for many years.¹

The notice says the store plans a five-year anniversary weenie roast in its parking lot this summer.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman event invites public to fundraiser for Graham Lake swim dock

An English tea room and collectibles sale is scheduled at the Denman Activity Centre on Saturday to raise funds for a swim dock renovation.

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A fundraiser for the Graham Lake Swim Dock Renovation Fund is scheduled for Saturday, April 29, at the Denman Activity Centre Lounge. The notice advertises an English tea room and collectibles sale from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2023-04-27: Overcast; 16°C / 6°C; wind NNE 4 kn; daylight 06:07–20:29; moon First Quarter, 42% lit; high water 1:29 AM (4.7 m), low water 8:38 AM (3.3 m), high water 10:15 AM (3.3 m), low water 6:10 PM (1.5 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2023-04-27

	Thu 27	Fri 28	Sat 29	Sun 30	Mon 01	Tue 02	Wed 03
Sky	Overcast	Partly cloudy	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Clear	Clear
High	16°C	21°C	24°C	18°C	19°C	27°C	23°C
Low	6°C	6°C	9°C	11°C	7°C	7°C	11°C
Wind	NNE 4 kn	NNE 6 kn	NW 8 kn	S 10 kn	N 9 kn	NNW 7 kn	NNW 8 kn
Daylight	06:07–20:29	06:05–20:30	06:03–20:32	06:01–20:33	06:00–20:35	05:58–20:36	05:56–20:38
Moon	First Quarter	First Quarter	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing 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.

Denman Trust appoints housing advisory commission

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee special meeting minutes, April 25, 2023 — “the LTC appointed Judy Armstrong, Richard Day, Karla Neufer, Riane da Silva, Pamela Willis, Virginia Spinney, and Rosa Telegus”

Denman Hardware marks 30 years in the community

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, April 27, 2023 — “It was in the spring of 1993 that our friend and neighbour Abraxas Bookstore got its start.”

Denman event invites public to fundraiser for Graham Lake swim dock

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, April 27, 2023 — “Graham Lake Swim Dock Renovation Fundraiser.”

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