

THE ISLAND

Denman trustees advance farming bylaw amendments

The Local Trust Committee gave second readings to amended farming-related bylaws at its June 6 meeting.

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The Denman Island Local Trust Committee gave second readings to amended versions of proposed bylaws 228 and 229 at its June 6 meeting, according to adopted minutes.¹

The amendments to bylaw 228 concerned Schedule C land-use designations in the Official Community Plan. The committee also amended bylaw 229’s agri-tourism definition to add “where no

permanent facilities are constructed or erected” and removed a two-consecutive-year limit from a table of permitted buildings and structures.¹

The committee directed staff to notify property owners affected by the Schedule C changes and added a Land Use Bylaw map

amendment to its future-projects list, to align zoning with Official Community Plan designations.¹

The minutes say staff reported that adding a map change for about five properties designated Agriculture in the Official Community Plan and in the Agricultural Land Reserve could extend the project timeline by a few months.¹

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Denman residents invited to comment on ferry routes

A BC Ferries survey on Routes 21 and 22 has a June 16 deadline, according to a notice in the island newsletter.

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A notice in The Islands Grapevine says BC Ferries has issued another survey seeking input on Routes 21 and 22, with a June 16 deadline.¹

The notice, signed “By Friends of Denman Forests,” says the survey’s question about lumber from Gravelly Bay does not offer an option to leave the trees standing and urges respondents who oppose cutting to select “other” and comment.¹

The notice also says Friends of Denman Forests is compiling information and resident accounts of close calls with speeding traffic on Denman routes used by Hornby-bound traffic, with the aim of encouraging a direct summer ferry to Hornby and holding back excess Hornby ferry traffic in Buckley Bay.¹

Minutes from the June 6 Local Trust Committee meeting record that Trustee Sam Borthwick reported on a Ferry Advisory Committee meeting with BC Ferries to discuss summer ferry plans, which was well attended by Denman community members.²

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Summer Gallery opens Rosa Telegus painting show

The Summer Gallery schedules an opening reception for Denman painter Rosa Telegus on June 8.

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The Summer Gallery schedules an opening reception for Denman Island painter Rosa Telegus’s show on Thursday, June 8, at 7 p.m., according to a Grapevine arts article.¹

The article describes the paintings as exploring couples, friendship, solitude and cats, and says the exhibition runs from June 9 through June 20.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2023-06-08: Clear; 28°C / 13°C; wind SE 6 kn; daylight 05:15–21:23; moon Waning Gibbous, 81% lit; low water 3:57 AM (3.5 m), high water 7:57 AM (4 m), low water 3:24 PM (0.7 m), high water 11:13 PM (4.9 m).



	Thu 08	Fri 09	Sat 10	Sun 11	Mon 12	Tue 13	Wed 14
Sky	Clear	Light drizzle	Light drizzle	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Mainly clear
High	28°C	20°C	17°C	25°C	27°C	21°C	19°C
Low	13°C	13°C	13°C	11°C	11°C	11°C	7°C
Wind	SE 6 kn	E 7 kn	ENE 6 kn	N 7 kn	NE 8 kn	N 16 kn	N 8 kn
Daylight	05:15–21:23	05:14–21:24	05:14–21:25	05:14–21:25	05:13–21:26	05:13–21:27	05:13–21:27
Moon	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Last Quarter	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent

Open-Meteo historical forecast. Tides: Canadian Hydrographic Service.

DENMAN FIRE RESCUE

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Sources

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- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, June 6, 2023 — “that the Denman Island Local Trust Committee Bylaw No. 228, cited as “Denman Island Official Community Plan, 2008, Amendment No. 1, 2018,” be read a second time, as amended.”

Denman residents invited to comment on ferry routes

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, June 8, 2023 — “The deadline is June 16.”
- 2. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, June 6, 2023 — “Trustee Borthwick reported on a Ferry Advisory Committee meeting with BC Ferries to discuss summer ferry plans. The meeting was well attended by Denman Island community members.”

Summer Gallery opens Rosa Telegus painting show

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, June 8, 2023 — “Rosa Telegus, a Denman island painter who opens at the Summer Gallery with an evening reception on Thursday, June 8th at 7:00 PM.”

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