

The Denman Firestarter

Back issue. The Denman Firestarter did not exist on 2023-11-16. This edition was compiled on 2026-10-01 from the public record as it stood on 2023-11-16, 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 housing report heads for public review

The Local Trust Committee received a housing commission’s final report and asked staff to prepare an analysis and schedule a special meeting.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

THE DENMAN FIRESTARTER

Denman’s Local Trust Committee received the Housing Advisory Planning Commission’s final report and a guide at its Nov. 14 meeting.¹ Trustees asked staff to print twelve or more copies for community distribution and post the report, guide and related correspondence on the Denman Island Projects webpage.¹ The minutes say staff would consider public engagement in its analysis before a community information meeting.¹ The committee also asked staff to analyze the recommendations and schedule a special meeting by Zoom at the beginning of 2024 to discuss options and next steps.¹

THE ISLAND

Denman wood-debris pickup scheduled to start Nov. 27

A free six-day chipping program is scheduled for Denman residents who prepare eligible wood debris by the morning of Nov. 27.

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A free wood-debris pickup is scheduled on Denman Island for six consecutive days beginning Monday, Nov. 27, according to a notice in this week’s Grapevine.¹

The notice says chipped wood will remain on Denman and go to Two Roads Farm to be made into compost. It describes the program as an effort to remove debris that could spread wildfire to homes and other structures and to reduce smoke pollution from burning.¹

Residents are asked to place eligible bundles by the road by the morning of Nov. 27. The notice excludes treated lumber, leaf piles, grass clippings and invasive species, and says tree trimmings must be under six inches in diameter and under 10 feet long.¹

Denman Island Fire Rescue endorses the program, the notice says, and directs questions to denmanfire@outlook.com.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2023-11-16: Overcast; 7°C / 2°C; wind NW 5 kn; daylight 07:31–16:38; moon Waxing Crescent, 7% lit; low water 12:51 AM (0.5 m), high water 8:31 AM (4.9 m), low water 1:31 PM (3.8 m), high water 5:57 PM (4.5 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2023-11-16

	Thu 16	Fri 17	Sat 18	Sun 19	Mon 20	Tue 21	Wed 22
Sky	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Rain	Overcast
High	7°C	8°C	8°C	10°C	8°C	8°C	9°C
Low	2°C	2°C	1°C	4°C	3°C	3°C	3°C
Wind	NW 5 kn	W 4 kn	NW 4 kn	NNW 8 kn	SE 8 kn	SE 12 kn	NNW 5 kn
Daylight	07:31–16:38	07:33–16:37	07:34–16:36	07:36–16:35	07:37–16:34	07:39–16:33	07:41–16:32
Moon	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	First Quarter	First Quarter	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 housing report heads for public review

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, Nov. 14, 2023 — “that the Denman Island Local Trust Committee receive the “Denman Island Housing Advisory Planning Commission Final Report of November 3, 2023””

Denman wood-debris pickup scheduled to start Nov. 27

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, Nov. 16, 2023 — “This is a free program”

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