

The Denman Firestarter

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Denman Island, British Columbia

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THE ISLAND

Trustees advance changes to secondary-dwelling rules

Denman’s Local Trust Committee gave first readings to draft bylaws that would remove temporary-use permits for some secondary dwellings.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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Denman’s Local Trust Committee gave first readings to two draft bylaws addressing temporary-use permits for secondary dwellings on properties in specified zones.¹ The August 13 minutes say the proposal covers lands zoned R2, A, F and RE, and would also remove the density bank. The minutes report that 37 properties are in the specified zones.¹ The planner said reports and community input recommended removing the permit requirement. Trustees noted that removing it, along with the density bank, allows for the creation of more housing.¹ The committee’s first readings were recorded as carried; the minutes do not record final adoption.¹

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Denman jazz group schedules Back Hall concert

Spontaneous Combustion is scheduled to play a concert for world peace on Friday, August 30.

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Spontaneous Combustion is scheduled to perform at the Back Hall on Friday, August 30, with a concert themed around world peace.¹

The notice says the group will play jazz standards, original music and more. Doors are scheduled to open at 7 p.m., with music beginning at 7:30.¹

The notice lists advance tickets at \$15, available at Abraxas Books and the D.I. General Store, and tickets at the door at \$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 2024-08-29: Clear; 24°C / 10°C; wind N 5 kn; daylight 06:31–20:12; moon Waning Crescent, 24% lit; high water 12:46 AM (4 m), low water 8:51 AM (1 m), high water 5:07 PM (4.5 m), low water 10:26 PM (3.6 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2024-08-29>

	Thu 29	Fri 30	Sat 31	Sun 01	Mon 02	Tue 03	Wed 04
Sky	Clear	Clear	Clear	Partly cloudy	Overcast	Overcast	Mainly clear
High	24°C	27°C	28°C	29°C	24°C	24°C	27°C
Low	10°C	12°C	12°C	13°C	14°C	13°C	12°C
Wind	N 5 kn	N 6 kn	NNE 6 kn	NNE 5 kn	NNE 6 kn	N 6 kn	NNE 4 kn
Daylight	06:31–20:12	06:32–20:10	06:34–20:08	06:35–20:06	06:37–20:03	06:38–20:01	06:40–19:59
Moon	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	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. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, August 13, 2024 — “Draft bylaws are to remove the requirement of a Temporary Use Permit for secondary dwellings on lands zoned R2 (Rural Residential), A (Agriculture), F (Forestry) and RE (Resource);”

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- 1. The Islands Grapevine, August 29, 2024 — “The theme is Concert for World Peace.”

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