

THE DENMAN FIRESTARTER

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THE ISLAND

Denman trustees advance changes to secondary-dwelling rules

The Local Trust Committee gave first readings to proposed amendments that would remove temporary-use permits for secondary dwellings in specified zones.

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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Denman’s Local Trust Committee gave first readings to two proposed bylaws that would remove the temporary-use-permit requirement for secondary dwellings in several zones, according to its August meeting minutes.¹ The minutes say the proposed changes also remove the density bank, which staff described as administratively complex and obsolete.¹ The committee’s minutes record that the bylaws received first readings; they do not record final adoption.¹

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Denman Audio Arts Collective lists monthly open stage

The collective’s notice says its open stage takes place on the third Wednesday of each month, except in December and July.

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The Denman Audio Arts Collective’s Grapevine notice says it hosts an open stage at the Denman Community Backhall on the third Wednesday of each month, excluding December and July.¹

The notice says doors open at 7 p.m. for sign-up and the show starts at 7:30 p.m.; the Grapevine calendar lists an open stage at the Back Hall on September 18.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2024-09-05: Clear; 30°C / 13°C; wind NNW 4 kn; daylight 06:41–19:57; moon Waxing Crescent, 4% lit; low water 2:18 AM (2.1 m), high water 8:06 AM (4 m), low water 1:55 PM (2.1 m), high water 8:21 PM (4.6 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2024-09-05>

	Thu 05	Fri 06	Sat 07	Sun 08	Mon 09	Tue 10	Wed 11
Sky	Clear	Clear	Clear	Overcast	Overcast	Overcast	Light drizzle
High	30°C	29°C	27°C	25°C	22°C	22°C	21°C
Low	13°C	14°C	13°C	13°C	13°C	9°C	12°C
Wind	NNW 4 kn	N 6 kn	N 6 kn	NNW 7 kn	NNE 6 kn	E 10 kn	NNW 4 kn
Daylight	06:41–19:57	06:43–19:55	06:44–19:53	06:46–19:51	06:47–19:49	06:48–19:46	06:50–19:44
Moon	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	First Quarter

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, September 5, 2024 — “For many years the Denman Community Backhall has witnessed performers of all stripes and genres.”

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