

THE DENMAN FIRESTARTER

THE ISLAND

Blackberry Lane plans Christmas fair dessert table

The Denman childcare centre is seeking baked-good donations for its table at the December 7 and 8 craft fair.

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Blackberry Lane Children’s Centre is preparing to host a dessert table at the Denman Island Christmas Craft Fair on December 7 and 8, with donations supporting the centre’s fundraising.¹ The centre said it accepts donations from 9:30 on Saturday morning and throughout the weekend, and asked donors to label dishes they want returned and include ingredient lists.¹ The table is also set to sell bags and raffle tickets for a draw in February 2025, with coffee and tea available alongside the treats.¹ The centre’s notice said it has operated for more than 43 years and relies on fundraising to help continue its work.¹

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Denman Christmas dinner set for December 22

The Olde Tyme Christmas party is scheduled for the Community Hall, with dinner provided and guests asked to bring a dish to share.

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The Olde Tyme Christmas party is scheduled for Sunday, December 22, at the Denman Community Hall, starting at 5 p.m.¹ The committee said turkey, dressing, potatoes, peas and carrots, gravy, cranberries and beverages will be provided, and asked guests to bring a salad, side dish or dessert.¹ Santa and an elf are expected at about 7 p.m.; families with young children were advised they may want to arrive after 6 p.m.¹ The committee said volunteers are needed for work before, during and after the event, and that donations support the purchase of food, drink and gifts.¹

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Free co-counselling introduction planned at the HUB

A December 11 session will introduce peer-to-peer co-counselling ahead of a training course scheduled to begin in January.

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A free introductory co-counselling session is scheduled for December 11 at the HUB, with pre-registration required.¹ The notice describes co-counselling as a peer-to-peer framework in which participants take turns offering one another support, and says the introductory evening will include opportunities to practise the skills.¹ A 20-hour training course over 10 weeks is scheduled to run from January 8 to March 12, 2025; the fee was listed as to be announced.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2024-11-21: Light rain; 9°C / 5°C; wind SSE 8 kn; daylight 07:40–16:32; moon Waning Gibbous, 71% lit; low water 2:55 AM (1.1 m), high water 11:02 AM (5 m), low water 5:41 PM (3.4 m), high water 8:23 PM (3.5 m).



https://catchwindow.com/canada/
british-columbia/denman-island/
week/2024-11-21

	Thu 21	Fri 22	Sat 23	Sun 24	Mon 25	Tue 26	Wed 27
Sky	Light rain	Rain	Dense drizzle	Drizzle	Fog	Fog	Overcast
High	9°C	9°C	8°C	7°C	6°C	5°C	6°C
Low	5°C	5°C	6°C	6°C	2°C	1°C	1°C
Wind	SSE 8 kn	WNW 16 kn	SE 15 kn	SE 8 kn	NW 6 kn	NW 5 kn	W 4 kn
Daylight	07:40–16:32	07:42–16:31	07:43–16:30	07:45–16:29	07:46–16:28	07:48–16:27	07:49–16:27
Moon	Waning Gibbous	Waning Gibbous	Last Quarter	Last Quarter	Waning Crescent	Waning Crescent	Waning 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. The Islands Grapevine, November 21, 2024 — “Blackberry Lane, the island’s only licensed childcare facility, is once again hosting the dessert table in the back hall”

Denman Christmas dinner set for December 22

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, November 21, 2024 — “That’s the date of this year’s “Olde Tyme” Christmas Party at the Denman Community Hall, starting at 5:00 pm.”

Free co-counselling introduction planned at the HUB

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, November 21, 2024 — “This evening is an opportunity to see whether you might like to join us for an upcoming 10-week training course beginning in January.”

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