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THE ISLAND

DICES holiday hamper applications remain open

Denman’s annual Holiday Hamper program is accepting applications through December 14, with volunteers also needed to pack hampers and wrap gifts.

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The DICES annual Holiday Hamper program is underway, and the application deadline has been extended to December 14. Forms are available at the Food Bank on Thursdays from 4 to 7 pm and at the General Store, or by contacting DICES.¹ Islanders can donate cash or cheques at jars in the General Store and Hardware Store, send an e-transfer to DICES, contribute gifts through the Adopt a Family program, or leave a new, unwrapped gift at the Hardware Store.¹ DICES is seeking volunteers to pack hampers and wrap gifts on the morning of December 21. The notice says a few volunteer spots remain and gives 250-335-2058 and dices.communityprograms@gmail.com for inquiries.¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2024-12-05: Fog; 6°C / 4°C; wind W 4 kn; daylight 08:00–16:22; moon Waxing Crescent, 14% lit; low water 1:37 AM (0.7 m), high water 9:28 AM (5.1 m), low water 3:06 PM (3.6 m), high water 6:59 PM (4 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2024-12-05>

	Thu 05	Fri 06	Sat 07	Sun 08	Mon 09	Tue 10	Wed 11
Sky	Fog	Rain	Dense drizzle	Drizzle	Overcast	Overcast	Fog
High	6°C	11°C	12°C	8°C	7°C	6°C	7°C
Low	4°C	5°C	6°C	3°C	5°C	4°C	2°C
Wind	W 4 kn	SE 17 kn	NNE 14 kn	WNW 6 kn	NW 5 kn	WSW 3 kn	S 5 kn
Daylight	08:00–16:22	08:01–16:22	08:02–16:21	08:03–16:21	08:04–16:21	08:05–16:21	08:06–16:20
Moon	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	Waxing Crescent	First Quarter	First Quarter	Waxing Gibbous	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.

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- 1. The Islands Grapevine, December 5, 2024 — “The DICES annual Holiday Hamper program is well underway but there’s still time to get involved.”

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