

THE DENMAN FIRESTARTER

Back issue, The Denman Firestarter did not exist on 2025-03-06. This edition was compiled on 2026-10-01 from the public record as it stood on 2025-03-06, 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 hearing on housing bylaws scheduled for March 18

A public hearing on proposed changes to secondary-dwelling permits and the density bank is scheduled at the Denman Activity Centre.

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A public hearing on proposed Denman bylaws 248 and 249 is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on March 18 at the Denman Activity Centre, with a community information meeting set for 10:15 a.m. ¹

The proposed amendments would remove the requirement for a Temporary Use Permit for secondary dwellings in R2, Forestry and Resource zones, and remove the density bank. ¹

The hearing notice says written submissions are accepted until 4:30 p.m. on March 17. ¹

The Local Trust Committee’s December minutes record that it postponed an earlier community information meeting and public hearing on the bylaws. ²

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Denman spring break camp registration is open

DICES is taking registrations for two spring-break camp sessions at the Community Hall Hub.

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DICES says its spring break camp is scheduled for March 17 to 20 and March 24 to 27, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Hub in the Community Hall. ¹

The camp is for children ages 5 to 11 and includes snacks, crafts, games and activities, according to the notice. Registration is open. ¹

The notice directs families to dices.ca or to DICES by email or phone for more information. ¹

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Trust committee approves budget engagement project charter

A committee that includes Denman trustee David Graham approved a charter for public engagement on the 2026/27 budget.

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The Financial Planning Committee approved a project charter for public engagement on the 2026/27 budget at a special electronic meeting on March 5. ¹

David Graham, identified in the minutes as representing the Denman Island Local Trust Area, attended the meeting. ¹

The minutes say committee discussion included suggested edits to a draft public survey and a request for staff to review tables in the budget-engagement request for clarity. ¹

CATCHWINDOW

The week on the water, for this island.

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

Thu 2025-03-06: Fog; 10°C / 2°C; wind N 5 kn; daylight 06:54–18:09; moon First Quarter, 42% lit; low water 4:15 AM (3.7 m), high water 9:07 AM (4.5 m), low water 4:59 PM (1 m).



<https://catchwindow.com/canada/british-columbia/denman-island/week/2025-03-06>

	Thu 06	Fri 07	Sat 08	Sun 09	Mon 10	Tue 11	Wed 12
Sky	Fog	Light drizzle	Dense drizzle	Light rain	Overcast	Light snow	Light rain
High	10°C	9°C	8°C	7°C	8°C	7°C	10°C
Low	2°C	3°C	6°C	2°C	1°C	3°C	5°C
Wind	N 5 kn	SE 13 kn	ESE 15 kn	N 6 kn	ESE 13 kn	NW 15 kn	ESE 13 kn
Daylight	06:54–18:09	06:52–18:11	06:50–18:12	06:48–18:14	07:46–19:16	07:44–19:17	07:42–19:19
Moon	First Quarter	First Quarter	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	Waxing Gibbous	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.

Denman hearing on housing bylaws scheduled for March 18

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, March 6, 2025 — “The Denman Island Local Trust Committee invites the public to attend a Public Hearing beginning at 10:30 am, Tuesday, March 18, 2025”
- 2. Denman Island Local Trust Committee minutes, December 10, 2024 — “that the Denman Island Local Trust Committee request staff to postpone the Community Information Meeting and Public Hearing regarding proposed Bylaw Nos. 248 and 249.”

Denman spring break camp registration is open

- 1. The Islands Grapevine, March 6, 2025 — “2025 Spring Break Camp with DICES is happening this year, Monday - Thursday March 17 - 20 and March 24 - 27”

Trust committee approves budget engagement project charter

- 1. Financial Planning Committee special meeting minutes, March 5, 2025 — “that Financial Planning Committee approve the 2026/27 Budget Public Engagement project charter as presented.”

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