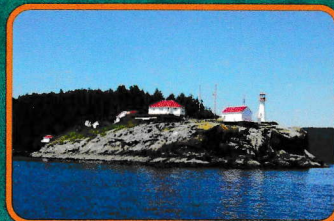
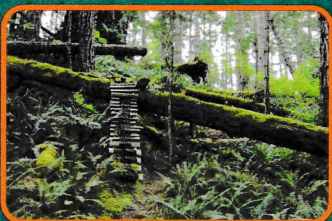
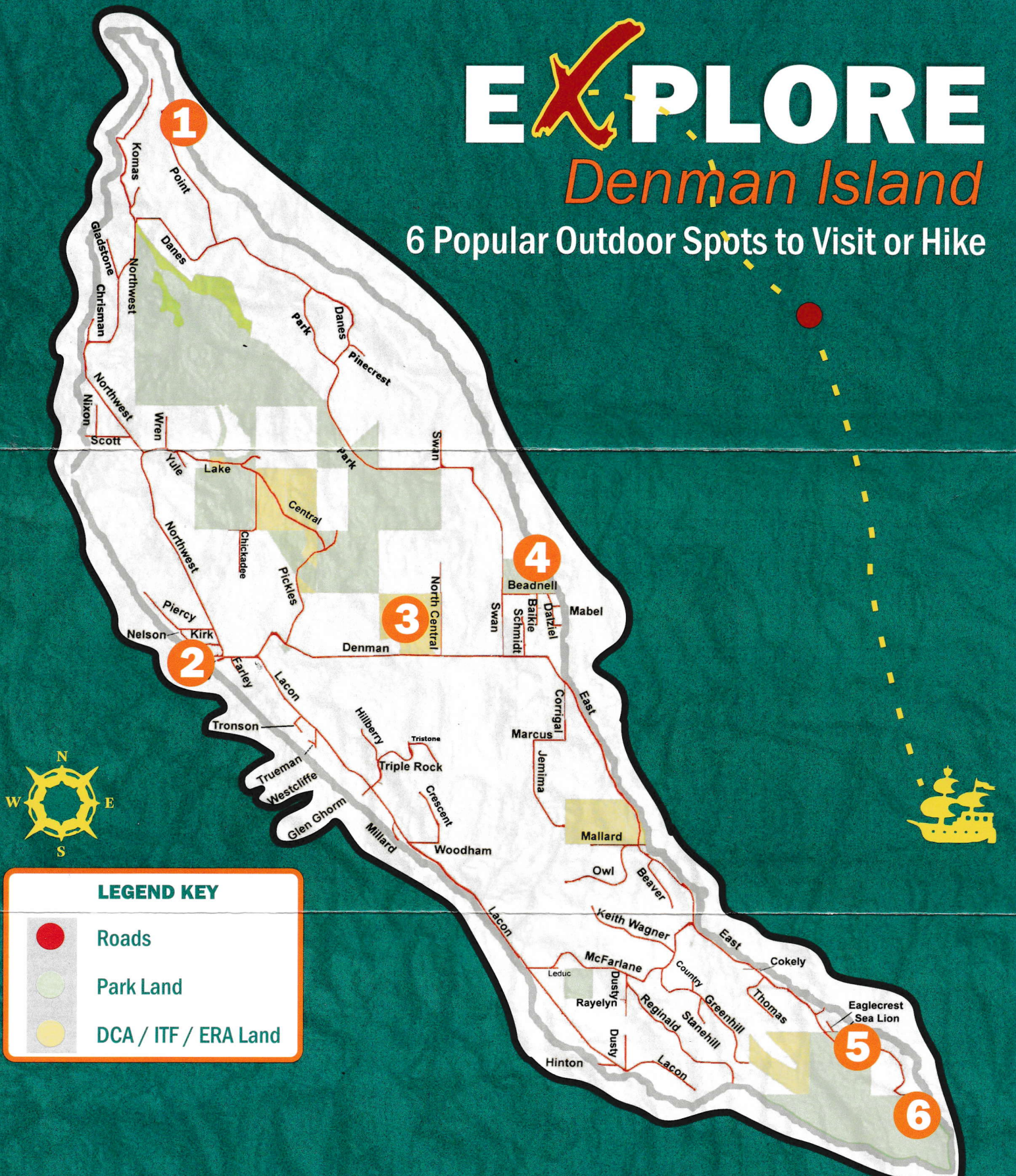


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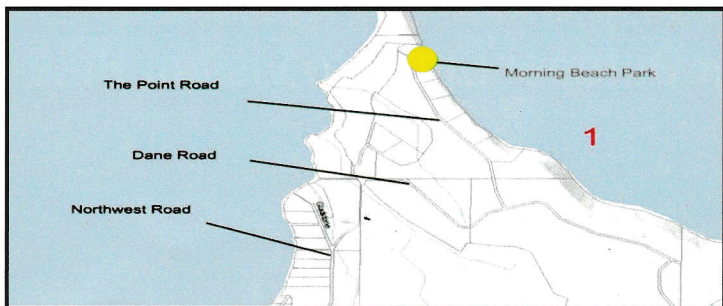
6 Popular Outdoor Spots to Visit or Hike



1. MORNING BEACH PARK



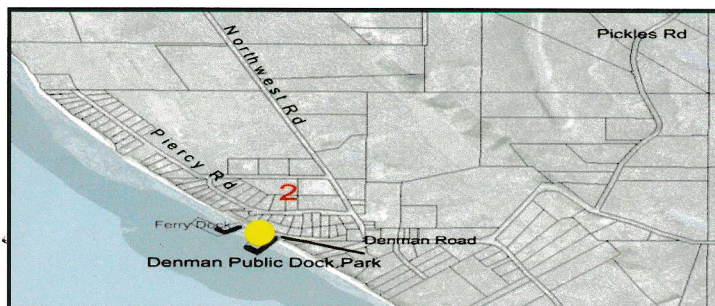
At the north end of 'The Point' Road - follow Northwest Road to Dane Road. Easy, short walk the bluff overlooking Lambert Channel. Picnic tables and flora/fauna information board. Take the stairs down to the sand & cobble beach below. A two kilometre beach walk north takes you to Long Beak Point & access to Tree Island (Sandy Island Provincial Marine Park) (IMPORTANT: check for tides before attempting to cross to the island). No toilet or garbage facilities. Great views across to Texada Island, Powell River and the mainland mountains.



2. DENMAN WEST PUBLIC DOCK



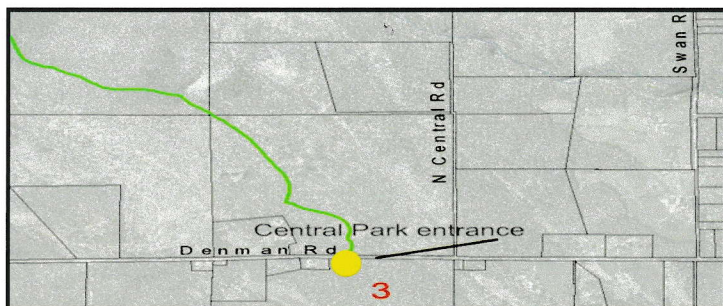
Situated at the Denman West ferry terminal, and future trailhead for the Denman Cross Island Trail. Parking and picnic tables. Washroom facilities at the BCF terminal. Beach walks and great views across Baynes Sound to the Beaufort mountain range. Lots of intertidal sea life to be seen. Close to downtown Denman Island if you want to have a picnic. Commercial fish boats stop occasionally to sell fresh seafood.



3. CENTRAL PARK



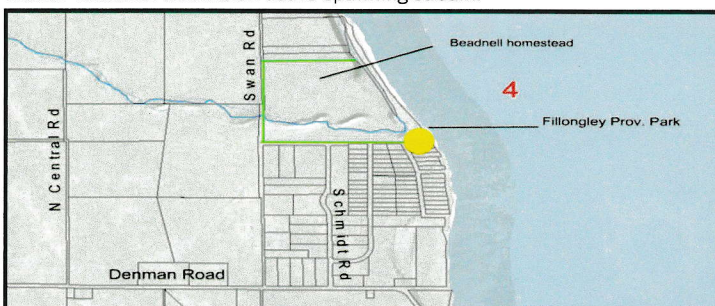
The Park entrance is approx. one hundred metres east of the front steps of the 'Old School' centre building. The Central Park land has a number of excellent walking trails the Conservancy makes available for public use. Detailed maps are at the entrance sign/notice board. There are two long wetlands in the park. While it was logged in 2000, there remain trees beside the wetlands, and a great number of young trees are growing back on the property. Forest, glen and meadows. Lots of opportunities for bird watchers & hikers. At the northwest corner of the park a trail continues on to Pickles Road.



4. FILLONGLEY PROVINCIAL PARK



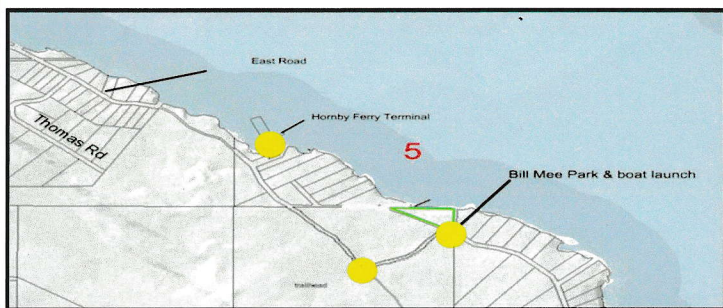
This small picturesque park on the north side of Denman Island offers an idyllic location to enjoy a picnic and spend a quiet afternoon. The land that is now Fillongley Provincial Park was given to the province of BC by George Beadnell, an Englishman who settled here at the turn of the last century. The park has 10 camping sites, pit toilets, picnic tables and a swimming beach. There is a hiking trail map at the entrance. The park features some of the largest remaining stands of Douglas Firs and Cedars in the region. There is a one kilometre walk along the spit northwards to the outfall of Beadnell Creek. West of the campground trails lead up to the Beadnell meadow, an early home site on the island. Beadnell creek is an active spawning stream.



5. BILL MEE PARK



One kilometre south of the Hornby Ferry Terminal is Bill Mee Park, a 3.3 acre regional community Recreation Park & Boat ramp. Also, it is an excellent place for a picnic or to launch your kayak. The park overlooks Lambert Channel and Hornby Island. There are two picnic tables, garbage containers and a pit toilet. Watch for whales, sea lions, otters, eagles and other wildlife from the beach. Beach walks can be done at lower tides. Rocks can be slippery. Information boards explain about the park & rockfish conservation in the area.



6. BOYLE POINT PROVINCIAL PARK



A day use park at the southern tip of Denman Island. Two main trails lead through second growth forest to the Chrome Island Lookout, where visitors will be rewarded with a spectacular view of Baynes Sound and the Chrome Island Lighthouse. Eagles are often seen as this is one of the island's nesting areas. Blue Heron, sea lions and a great variety of migratory water fowl can be seen. There is a pit toilet near the parking lot at the end of East Road. Main trail to lookout is approx. 1.5 kms. There is a park map board at the parking lot trailhead.

