THE BIG BEACH CLEANUP!
Sept 23 to Sept 30, 2017

We invite you to participate as we join forces with some of our neighbours for The Big Beach Cleanup 2017!

The Association for Denman Island Marine Stewards (ADIMS), the BC Shellfish Growers Association (BCSGA) and the Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO) are working together, as a part of the Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup, to orchestrate efforts to clean the shores of Baynes Sound and Lambert Channel.

- ADIMS will continue to take the lead in the cleanup of the shores of Denman Island as they have done for the past 12 years.
- BCSGA will organize the cleanup on the Vancouver Island side of Baynes Sound this year, as well as continue to assist ADIMS with resources within the entire area.
- DFO will provide resources and assistance to facilitate the cleanup in all areas.

We share a common interest in protecting our local waters from the negative impacts associated with marine debris and are excited to come together to expand individual efforts. Communities surrounding Baynes Sound are growing rapidly and the human impacts – on and off the water – are also increasing. We all benefit when we take steps to ensure a thriving marine ecosystem. Please sign up as a company/organization or as an individual to participate.

Denman Island Main Event: Saturday, September 30, 9:30 am – 1 pm at the Denman Island Old School Recycling Bottle Depot Area
- Bring all your collected debris to the recycling area for sorting.
- After 11 am everyone is welcome to take any reusable items they want.
- At 12 pm volunteers will complete all the sorting, recycling and load the trucks.

Here is how to get involved:
- ADIMS will have a table Sat Sept 16 & 23 at the Old School Market where volunteers can register to clean a specific area from the island map or they join one of our work teams.
- You can also email or phone or register online.
- You can clean your designated shoreline area anytime during the week to fit tides and your schedule.
- Volunteers can drop off debris any time during the week at Oyster Beach Farm 2621 NW Rd if they are unable to drop off at the main event, or can call for trucking or team assistance.

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Event registered as part of the Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup