

June 15, 2020
Phase 2 Covid-19 Update

Dear Edible Island Community,

Over the past couple of months we have implemented many safety measures at Edible Island, in order to keep our community safe.

[Please read through past COVID Updates on the website for more details.]

Most of these measures are all still in place, such as limiting numbers of customers, social distancing and extra sanitation procedures. However things are getting a little closer to feeling 'normal', and we are continuing to adapt.

Moving forward we will no longer provide online ordering and grocery delivery which was done through the volunteer initiative 'Karma Drops'. Most of our volunteers who made this service possible are now returning to work themselves. We are forever grateful to them and all of you who used this service while it was necessary, and while we felt the most vulnerable early in the pandemic.

Please be assured we will continue to make the health and safety of our whole community top priority, and make adjustments to our services here at Edible Island accordingly. Should you or anyone you know be unable to shop in the store for any reason please contact us and we will work with you on an individual basis to find a solution.

We are happy to let you know that this week we have received permission from Vancouver Island Health Authorities (VIHA) to re-open some of our bulk bins. We are also now accepting re-usable bags, so long as customers are willing to pack their own groceries, and our customer washroom is also re-opened.

These are small, positive steps, in the right direction. It has been a difficult time, but we are getting there.

Thank you for your continued patience and understanding. Keep up the great work!

Yours in Health,

Steve Stewart, Owner and General Manager

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