

PRIZE BINGO

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. along with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding a prize bingo at the Community Hall in Reidville on Tuesday, February 22nd with the doors opening at 7 pm. The bingo is set to begin at 8 pm.

All are welcome!

FAMILY SKATING

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will no longer be holding Sunday Family Skating at the Hodder Memorial Recreation Centre due to low attendance.

FAMILY WALKING

Family walking is taking place at the Community Hall on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons. For more information, please contact Terri-Lynn Curlew at 635-5840 or Lisarae Curlew at 635-4219.

SLIDING/SLEEP OVER PARTY

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. will be holding a Sliding/Sleep over Party

at the Community Hall for **BOYS ONLY** on Saturday, **February 19th**. All interested boys from ages 5-18 years are asked to meet at the Community Hall at 6:30 pm. The cost of this event is \$2.00 and will include sliding, movies and pizza. Any other snacks are asked to be brought by the children themselves.

All participants are to be picked up by 10 am the following morning.

This same event is scheduled for Girls on **February 26th** with all the same details as above. It will be open to **girls** from ages 5-18 years only.

NOTE: All participants have to have a waiver signed by their parent/guardian before being permitted to take part.

For more information, please contact Terri-Lynn Curlew at 635-5840 or Lisarae Curlew at 635-4219.

WATER CONCERNS

Residents were recently inconvenienced with two water interruptions in the past month. Please note that if any disruption in the water occurs in the future, all information will be placed on the town's message manager - so call 635-5232 and all information as to when it is expected to

return or why it is off will be posted. Thank you.

BUSINESS FEATURE

This section is one of two new sections that council has added to the monthly newsletter. A different business from our community will be featured every month.

This month council would like to introduce this special section by featuring two new businesses in the town, the new convenience store, Elms Store and a new photo works business, Goosney's Photoworks.

ELMS STORE:

Owner(s): Rex and Colleen Elms

Address: 13 Forest Road

Telephone: 635-5762

Hours of Operation:

Monday: 6-10 pm

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Sunday:
11 am - 10 pm

Friday & Saturday: 11 am - 11 pm

Items Available for Purchase:

Beer, Any confectionary items along with VHS and DVD movies. Movie rentals cost are \$2.59 for VHS, \$2.99 for DVD. There is a special currently offered on a selection of VHS movies for rent at \$.99.

This business opened in November, 2004 and welcomes residents and visitors alike!

GOOSNEY'S PHOTOWORKS:

Owner(s): Wyatt and Ruby

Address: 22 Circular Road

Telephone: 635-3739

Hours of Operation:

Just call and we will make arrangements according to your schedule.

Items/Services Available:

- Photo Restoration
- Photo Enlargements from any size up to 13X19 inch
- Brochures
- Lamentations
- Photo Calendars
- Name Tags

And the list goes on and on...just call and we will see if we can be of assistance.

This business began operation January 1, 2004. Goosney's Photoworks was the supplier of the Deer Lake Red Wings Calendars for 2005.

YOUTH DARTS

Youth darts began on February 5th at the Community Hall. This event is open to any and all youth from 5-18 years of age. The weekly fee is \$2.00 per person and all participants are asked to bring their own

darts.

NOTE: All fees collected will go towards the year end social scheduled for June 25th.

ADULT FUN DARTS

Adult “Fun Darts” is held every Friday evening at the Reidville Community Hall. All are welcome. The bar is open for this event.

SPECIAL GREETINGS

This is a new section in the town’s newsletter. This section is reserved for any anniversary greetings from 25 years and up and for any resident with a birthday - whether it is for the 1st year or the 80th year...please call the council office and we will share the good news with all residents.

Birthday greetings go out this month to:

- **Morgan Reid** who celebrated his 14th birthday February 7th.
- **Doyle Janes** who will be celebrating his 85th birthday on February 19th.
- **Eugene Reid** who will celebrate his 69th birthday on February 24th

NOISE CONCERNS

A number of “NOISE” concerns were recently placed at the council office. Residents with animals tied on outside are asked to be considerate of their neighbor and to ensure that their animal is quiet at all times. If you do have a problem with the animal excessively barking, please purchase an “anti-bark” collar. These collars are available at Wal Mart and only cost about \$5.00.

Residents snow clearing are also asked to ensure that they do not use their heavy equipment in residential areas late in the evening. After a recent snow storm, some school children were awakened by heavy equipment clearing a neighbors’ lot.

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

There is no items to report this month. Please call with any youth accomplishments so we can share the good news...

DEBRIS

Every year, the town hires students to do maintenance work around the town. Part of this maintenance involves picking up debris along Reidville Road. Unfortunately since this job was done in July, the debris that has been collecting on the sides of the road is astounding. Council would like to remind the offenders that there is a fine of \$180.00

if a person is caught. Council would also like to remind residents that Tim Horton coffee cups can be placed in garbage cans in their own homes and that also, Tim Horton’s have garbage cans located in their drive thru section - this gives individuals an opportunity to throw out any old coffee cups before purchasing new ones!

It is quite upsetting to see the amount of garbage people toss out of their vehicles - please take pride in our town!

DID YOU KNOW...

- Council has a photo display in the council chambers of all current and prior “mayors” of the town?
- On behalf of residents, that council donated \$100.00 to the Red Cross towards the Tsunami Disaster Fund?
- Snow clearing cost council \$18,884.00 in 2004?
- This is an election year for Municipal government...September is the month it is scheduled for. This election takes place in all towns across the island at the same time.
- Three new street lights have now been erected at the beginning of Reidville Road?

TAX COLLECTION

As of February 15th, 2005 the town’s collection rate for 2005 stands at 44.18% for 2005 and 98.24% for 2004 and prior.

Council would like to remind residents that February 28th is the last day for the 3% discount. All arrears has to be paid in full before a resident can avail of any discounts.

To those residents in arrears, council would like to remind them that recently some accounts were sent to collections instead of cutting off their water. Water disconnections will take place as soon as spring arrives especially to those accounts at the collection agency.

It is unfortunate that council has to revert to such measures to collect arrears taxes.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Doctor on Call1-800-261-0741
 Fire Alarm.....635-5600
 RCMP.....635-2173
 Ambulance.....635-3020
 Newfoundland Power..... 1-800-474-5711
 Council Office635-5232
 Fax: 635-4498