



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

April, 2008

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- Deputy Mayor: Helen Reid
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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department



- Bruce Curlew, Fire Chief
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Reidville Recreation Committee Inc.:

- Terri-Lynn Curlew, Chairperson
- Donna Rumbolt, Co-Chair
- Bonnie Reid, Secretary
- Rose Marie Young, Treasurer
- Directors: Roy Pittman, Ida Pinksen, John (Bud) MacDonald, Vicki Reid, Jackie Barrett, Paula Stagg

strong interpersonal, communication and problem solving skills, be able to work independently and as part of a team. The individual must have knowledge and working skills relating to accounts receivable/payable, be bondable, able to multi task, have excellent oral and written skills and be flexible. This is a permanent position.

Applications should be forwarded by 12 noon, Friday April 25th in person or by mail, e-mail or fax to: Town of Reidville 2 Community Square, Reidville, NL A8A 2V7 fax: 709-635-4498 e-mail: townofreidville@nf.aibn.com

IT'S TIME TO SAY THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!!!

On April 26th the Town of Reidville will be holding its annual Volunteer Appreciation Evening to honor the town's many, many volunteers. Invitations have been mailed - however the dance/social which will start at about 9:30 pm is open to all!

Council realizes that - from time to time - all residents help out in some special way... whether it is shoveling out a fire hydrant or picking up some debris ... all volunteers are appreciated very, very much. At our volunteer appreciation dinner, we will be recognizing only those volunteers who have participated in:

- Fire Department
- Recreation
- Economic Development Committee
- Come Home Year Committee
- Wellness
- Council

If you have been a member of one of these committee in the past year and have not received an invitation, please contact the office as soon as possible. Remember, the Community Hall is open to everyone - friends, family and fellow volunteers of any and every compacity as we join together to celebrate the giving of the precious gift of time.

MOTHER'S DAY TEA

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. will be holding a Mother's Day Tea at the Reidville Community Hall, Saturday, May 3rd from 2-4 pm. The cost is \$5.00 per person. Why not take mom out for a nice afternoon event and support the Recreation Committee at the same time.

POKER RUN RESULTS

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department just recently held a Snowmobile Poker Run. The winners of this event were: 1st place Byron Matchim 2nd place Kerri-Leigh Anstey 3rd place Kayla Hinks Youth Winner Jordan Pittman

Thank you everyone for your participation!

GARBAGE

Please place your garbage in large bags and tie them up. Small shopping bags and untied bags

takes up a lot of time for the maintenance man and may be left behind.

BOTTLE DRIVE

The firemen collected recyclables door to door in January and are hoping to repeat this fundraiser in May. If anyone would like their recyclables

picked up before that time, please call either fire department member - they would only be too happy to help you.

FIRE DEPT SELLING TICKETS

The Reidville Fire Dept are selling tickets on a \$100.00 bill. All funds go toward the New Fire Truck.

You may purchase your tickets at the Council Office. The Lucky Winner of the first \$100.00 50/50 ticket draw was Isaiah Simms.

65TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF THE ATLANTIC

This May, Canadians will mark another major milestone in our history - the 65th Anniversary of the Battle of the Atlantic.

The Battle of the Atlantic was the longest battle of the Second World War, continuing unbroken from the first day of the war, September 3, 1939 to the last day of the war in Europe, May 8, 1945.

If you see a veteran or a current member of our Armed Forces, why not say "Thank You" ... a couple of little words that mean a lot.

RCHYC 2009 Tickets

Tickets are now available on a beautiful hand-crafted crochet quilt and matching pillows. For tickets or more information, please contact the council office from 9 am to 3 pm daily - or speak to any member of the Reidville Come Home Year Committee. Thank you.

WELLNESS FOR LIFE

"Wellness for Life" group are holding weekly information session at the Community Hall Wednesdays from 10:30 am to 11:30 am. This event is open to all adults who are interested in learning about health issues, low impact exercise, eating right and many issues affecting our everyday living.

4TH ANNUAL DEER LAKE REGIONAL BUSINESS SHOWCASE

The Deer Lake Chamber of Commerce will be holding their 4th Annual Deer Lake Regional Business Showcase at the Hodder Memorial Recreation Complex on May 2nd-3rd. For more information, please call Susan at 635-3260.

MISSING

During the recent lasagna supper at the Community Hall sponsored by the Come Home Year Committee, one member lost her glass dish - and we have an extra one at the council office. If you have brought your 10 X 14 lasagna glass dish home, please check it. The missing dish is an "Encore Anchor Hocking" dish and looks quite similar to Pyrex. Thank you.

The Town of Reidville is accepting applications for the position of Town Clerk. Candidates must possess completion of high school supplemented with a minimum of a certificate of completion from a post secondary institution and/or related work experience. Candidates must possess

**REIDVILLE COME HOME YEAR COMMITTEE (RCHYC)**

Any person who would like to volunteer to help out during the Come Home Year fund-raisers or the Come Home year Events on July 10-16, 2009, please send in or drop off at the council office the completed form that was included in your information package - or you can access a new form from the town's web site at <http://reidville-nl.ca>

The Come Home Year Committee is trying to compile a list of volunteers that are willing to help out ... the sooner we receive a good list of volunteers, the easier it will be to plan each of the events.

We look forward to working with you - and see you at this very memorable occasion in our town's history.

**COME HOME FLEA MARKET**

The Reidville Come Home Year Committee are hoping to have a giant flea market/afternoon tea in the Reidville Community Hall in the coming months. If you have items that you would like to donate to this worthy cause, please either drop them off at the Community Hall or hold on to them until the day before this event. Thank you.

**WRECK VEHICLES**

Spring is in the air ... and the wreck vehicles are starting to show from beneath their blanket of snow.

It is the decision of council that we have to keep our town clean from such debris and with this in mind, is offering residents an opportunity to register their wrecks with the council office for removal. If you register your vehicle, it will only cost you \$15.00 per wreck to have it removed and council will pay the balance. If you do not decide to take this initiative, council will be forced to remove your wreck and bill you accordingly for the full cost of removal.

Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated. NOTE: This fee has to be paid before the wreck is removed from your property.

**BINGO**

The next scheduled prize bingo at the Community Hall is set for Tuesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> Doors are scheduled to open around 7 pm.

**NOTE:** At every bingo in Reidville, if you bring an item for the Food Bank, you will receive "one" free winner take all. *Only one free winner take all per person.*

If you have a prize you would like to donate to the monthly prize bingos, please contact Rose Marie Young at 635-5297, Ida Pinksen at 635-3345 or Bonnie Reid at 635-3462, or you may drop it off at the council office.

**TOY PRIZE BINGO:**

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. Will be holding a Toy Prize Bingo at the

Community Hall, Saturday April 19<sup>th</sup> starting at 2 pm (doors opening about 1 pm). Anyone interested in donating new toys to this event can contact any member of the Reidville Recreation Committee.

If You bring in a non-perishable food item, you will receive a free "winner take all"! For more information, please contact either member listed above or contact Terri-Lynn Curlew at 635-7961.

**SNOW CLEARING**

Did you know it cost council \$12,838.50 for snow clearing of the side roads from December 1- January 31 only.

**TOWN OF REIDVILLE PUBLIC BRIEFING SESSION**

The Town of Reidville has undertaken the review and rewrite of the Reidville Municipal Plan and Development Regulations with the help of a planning consultant.

The Town of Reidville is seeking public input into this new plan and regulations at a public briefing session being held at the Reidville Community Centre at 7:30 pm on April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2008. Persons are invited to attend and express their views.

The Planning Consultant will be present at this briefing session, and from 4 pm to 5:30 pm at the Town Office on the afternoon of the 22<sup>nd</sup> to answer questions about the Municipal Plan and Development Regulations.

The draft municipal plan and development Regulations can be viewed at the Reidville Town Office during normal working hours.

For more information, please contact the Town Clerk/Manager at 635-5232 via fax at 635-4498 or by e-mail at [townofreidville@nf.aibn.com](mailto:townofreidville@nf.aibn.com). The town's mailing address is 2 Community Square, Reidville, NL A8A 2V7

**SPECIAL GREETINGS**

**Birthdays:**

Date	Name	Age
Apr 20	Hazel Reid	54
Apr 23	Robin Reid	16
Apr 26	Otto Reid	57
Apr 27	Donna Rumbolt	48
	Archie Butt	
Apr 28	Stella Stuckless	63
May 1	Pauline Reid	65
May 2	Bill Collins	62
May 3	Perry Martin Sr.	42
May 10	MacKenzie Budgell	8
May 11	Rita Matchim	60
May 12	Lillian Reid	

**Anniversaries:**

Date	Name	Years
Mar 22	Gordon & Marjorie Oxford	42
Apr 12	Wayne & Belinda Stuckless	28
May 9	Clarence & Pauline Reid	46
May 11	Theodore & Ruby Reid	53

**REIDVILLE RECREATION COMMITTEE INC.**

The Reidville Recreation Committee hold their regular monthly meetings on the first Tuesday morning of every month starting at 10 am at the Community Hall. If you are interested in becoming a member or would like to volunteer

some time, why not contact a member today.

**DID YOU KNOW...**

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. has done a lot of good in our town. Did you know that it is through their fund raising efforts that we have new flooring in the Community Hall, some new tables, chairs & dishes and a state of the art playground with a net value of over \$15,000.00 Our Recreation Committee is always busy trying to make our town a recreational happy town. Thank you Reidville Recreation Committee!

**EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS WEEK**

May 4th-10th is Emergency Preparedness Week in our province. This is a good opportunity to review your household emergency procedures with family members.

**PERMIT COST**

The cost of all Permits have increased to the following:

Commercial (per bldg)	\$200.00
New House:	\$100.00
House Extension:	\$50.00
Accessory Buildings:	\$25.00
General Repairs:	\$10.00

There is No Charge for a General Repairs permit for Seniors. **Please Note:** All taxes for prior years must be paid in full before a permit will be issued.

**PASSED AWAY**

Passed away recently at her home in Twillingate, a former resident of Reidville, Fronie (Reid) Jenkins. Mrs. Jenkins was 83 years old and leaves to mourn many relatives and friends in the Humber Valley area. Are thoughts and prayers are with you.

**FOUND**

Found in the vicinity of the Cache Rapids Riding Stables, one black Persian cat. This cat appears to be well looked out too and has a collar. For more information, please call Ruth Story at 635-5224.



**TAX COLLECTION**

As of Tuesday, April 15th, the town's collection rate for the current year (2008) stands at 72.33%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 70.98%

Council would like to sincerely thank residents who have been diligent with the payment of their account.

**To those residents in arrears and not honoring agreements, please note that plans are underway to proceed with further action. The town is in the process of auctioning off arrears accounts again to ensure that collections remain up to date. Also water disconnection notices will be delivered in the coming weeks.**



**EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

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