

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

April 2017

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ARREARS

Please be advised that arrears notifications for any monies owing up to and including 2016 will be sent out by the end of April. Actions listed on the arrears (water shutoff, wage garnish, rent garnish, collections) will be taken at the end of April and we have no choice but to be firm. Please make arrangements to pay these outstanding balances before that time. Thank you in advance!!!

CHASE THE ACE

Alert the pesky Ace has escaped capture! It's on the loose and we need your help to catch it again.

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department is holding a CHASE THE ACE fundraiser. All proceeds will be used to purchase some much needed fire equipment / fire truck for the community. The rules and the ticket prices remain the same. 50 / 50 tickets are available again as well.

DATE: Sunday, April 23 rd

TIME: 7pm to 8:15

Place: Reidville Community Hall

TICKET PRICES: \$ 2 each OR 3 for \$ 5 OR 7 for \$ 10

JACKPOT: \$3,460.20 + 30 % of ticket sales

CONSOLATION PRIZE: 20 % of the days ticket sales

Card's drawn to date:

- ♡8,A ♦A,K,8,5
- ¢10,9
- ⇔ 2, Q, 9, 3

Thank you for your time and support. Hope to see you there, and good luck to all!

MUNICIPAL AWARENESS DAY

May 10, 2017 is Municipal Awareness Day across Newfoundland and Labrador. This is the day that the provincial government has designated for everyone to realize how important municipal government and our volunteer councils are. Did you know?

- Reidville councillors meet on the second Monday of every month to give instructions for work required in the next month.

- Any councillor can be dismissed from their seat if their taxes are in arrears.

- Any councillor cannot speak on a matter (or even be in the room) where he or she is in a conflict of interest (has an immediate family member involved).

- Council is responsible for ensuring that you have:

- * safe drinking water
- * roads clear from snow
- * roads graded
- * garbage collection
- * fire department
- * street lights
- * Recreational facilities available

to you.....and so much more!!!!!

THANK YOU

Arthur Reid and Family would like to send out sincere thanks to the Fire Department, The Town and all the residents of Reidville who visited, sent messages, brought food/cards/flowers and provided support during the passing of Alice.

RECREATION EVENTS

Knitting Circle – This program is held on Monday afternoons from 1:30-3:30 pm. Come along and bring your knitting and a friend or two!!

Aquafit: This program is offered at the Hodder Memorial Wednesday & Friday Mornings, 8:30 - 9:30 am. This program will run until the end of April. If any Reidville resident is interested please call the Town Office to register. There will be no charge for Reidville residents who are registered.

Bowling: This program is finished for the season. We are hoping to begin again in September.

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Keep an eye on the monthly newsletter for additional events!

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Council elections across Newfoundland and Labrador will be held this September. Any person is qualified to be nominated for a position on council providing they reach the following criteria:

- Is a Canadian Citizen of the full age of 18 years.
- Is a resident for a period of six(6) months before nomination day either in the municipality or in an area that on election day is part of the municipality.

- Is not in arrears of taxes or other charges payable to the municipality.

This would be a great opportunity to give back to your community. Please think about putting your name on a ballot!!

SPECIAL EVENTS

Age

Birthdays: Date Name

1,0000	1-80
Bibbs Curtis	65
Marlene Curlew	60
David Langdon	37
Jordan Pittman	23
Hazel Reid	63
Robin Reid	25
Otto Reid	66
Mary Reid	?
Archie Butt	63
Donna Rumbolt	57
Eric Reid	66
Amber Jae Lush	12
Pauline Reid	74
Myrtle Rumbolt	84
-	53
Karen Bradley	55
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Name	Years
	Marlene Curlew David Langdon Jordan Pittman Hazel Reid Robin Reid Otto Reid Mary Reid Archie Butt Donna Rumbolt Eric Reid Amber Jae Lush Pauline Reid Myrtle Rumbolt Perry Martin Karen Bradley

Date Name

Apr 12Belinda & Wayne Stuckless 37May 9Pauline & Clarence Reid55

FITNESS CENTER

The fitness center is now open during office hours, which is Monday to Friday from 9am-3pm. No one under the age of 16 is permitted in the fitness center. There will be no charge for use of this facility but a donation box will be on site.... money collected will be used for the cleaning supplies, treadmill oils, machine inspection and any maintenance required. We are hoping that residents will get out advantage of and take this facility!!!!

Please Note: There is a Waiver that MUST be filled out before using the facility. They will be available at the town office or a supervisor will have them at the community hall if opened after office hours. The supervisor will check the book to ensure a person has a waiver filled out before allowing use.

MAY COUNCIL MEETING

The next scheduled meeting of council will be May 15th as opposed to May 8th

due to training. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

SOD/HAY FIELDS

Now that spring is quickly approaching local sod/hay farmers would like to ask the public to please refrain from riding on the sod/hay fields altogether to protect the crops.

PERMITS

With spring quickly app please note the cost of all Per	
Commercial (per building)	\$200
New House:	\$100
House Extension:	\$50
Accessory Buildings:	\$25
General Repairs:	\$10
Clearing Land r	o charge

There is No Charge for a General Repairs permit for seniors. Most of these items will have to go to council for approvalplease pick up your application or print it off the town website and submit it for the second Monday of every month.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION

Volunteer Appreciation Week is being honored in the province from April 23rd-29th. The provincial theme for this year is "Volunteering shapes lives." This is the perfect opportunity to thank those who give so much of their precious time to the betterment of our town and our region. If you see members of our Reidville Volunteer Fire Department, Council, Clinic Board committee or EDC committee, please take a moment to say "thanks". It seems in these busy time, we are all so quick to say "you made a mistake" but we rarely stop to say "good job"...thank you! Those simple words make volunteering worthwhile.

The town of Reidville is quite proud of the tremendous amount of volunteer support in our town.

Note: Due to time restraints and lack of attendance due to work commitments, vacations etc. the town will not be holding a dinner this year..... This in no way reflects how much we appreciate each and every volunteer.

FUNDRAISING

Carson Young will be selling tickets on a Texas Mickey to raise money to get his new van shipped to Montreal for equipment installation. The tickets are \$1 each and there are 1400 printed. If you are interested please call Carson @ 215-1402

If you have any recycling or beer bottles that you would like to donate to this cause please call Carson @ 215-1402

STREETLIGHT ISSUES

If you notice a streetlight out/flickering in your area you can report it to Newfoundland Power by logging into the website www.newfoundlandpower.com and click on the link "Report a Streetlight Out". If this is not an option please call the town office.

JOKE

Four expectant fathers were in the hospital waiting room while their wives were in labor. The nurse arrived and announced to the first man, "Congratulations, you're the father of twins."

"Wow!" the man said. "I work for the Minnesota Twins baseball team."

A little while later, the nurse returned and told the second man, "You sir, are the father of

triplets." "Amazing! That's really a coincidence," he said. "I work for the 3M Corporation."

An hour later, the nurse came back and announced to the third man that his wife had given birth to quadruplets.

Stunned, he could barely speak. "I don't believe it. I work for the Four Seasons Hotel."

The fourth guy, who had looked more and more unhappy with each development, fainted. When finally revived, he shook his head and was heard to whisper.... "I should have never taken that job at 7-Eleven..."

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