



**TOWN OF REIDVILLE**

Community Newsletter

May 2017

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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department

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**Calvin Hiscock**  
**Stephen Fudge**  
**Jason Stagg**

**STUDENT EMPLOYMENT**

Council has received notification that they can employ three students for seven weeks for 35 hrs per week. Any students seeking summer employment with the Town of Reidville are reminded that they have to have their **resume submitted to the town office no later than June 9<sup>th</sup> at 3 p.m.** Please Note that preference will be given to applicants going to post secondary school in the fall. All applicants may not be called for an interview. The chosen candidates will be notified of date and time of interview. Resumes can be dropped off at the office, sent to the above address, faxed to 635-4498 or emailed to [townofreidville@nf.aibn.com](mailto:townofreidville@nf.aibn.com).

**Qualifications for these positions are:**

- Must be between the ages of 15 to 30 years of age.
- Must have been a full time student during the last school year (2016-2017).
- Intend to return to school full time in the fall of 2017.

The town has also applied for other funding for student employment so there may be more positions available later in the month.

**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, May 21st

TIME: 7pm to 8:15pm

Place: Reidville Community Hall

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

JACKPOT: \$4,079.40+ 30 % of ticket sales

CONSOLATION PRIZE: 20 % of the days ticket sales

Card's drawn to date:

- ♥8,A,6
- ♦A,K,8,5,10,7
- ♠10,9
- ♣2, Q, 9, 3, 4

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

**FOOD DRIVE**

The Annual Food Drive will be held on Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you can help out with this worthwhile cause, please hang your donations on your doorknob, put it on your bridge or contact Carson & Rose Marie Young 215-1402. If you can volunteer some of your time and help with the collection of these items please call the above number. Thanks Again!!

**SPRING CLEANUP**

It's that time of year again when we all like to get our properties ready for summer. The town's annual spring clean up will take place on Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> beginning at 8:00 a.m. This will be a one day event....all items will be picked up during that day by the town garbage truck. All items for clean up are to be placed to the edge of your property by 8 a.m. Please put metals in a separate pile. **Please Note: We will not be taking brush, toxic items (oil cans, paint cans, etc.) or tires.**

**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!!

Keep an eye on the monthly newsletter for additional events!

**CACHE RAPIDS ROAD**

The road at the end of Reidville that residents refer to as Cache Rapids Road is very soft and has large potholes. We are asking that only light duty vehicles travel in this area until it dries up and can be graded. NOTE: Please do not haul loads of wood at this time!

**HYDRANT FLUSHING**

The fire department is planning on doing some hydrant flushing on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. This could cause some dirt/air in the lines.

**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**

*Birthdays:*

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
<i>May 10</i>	<i>Mackenzie Budgell</i>	<i>17</i>
<i>May 11</i>	<i>Rita Matchim</i>	<i>69</i>
<i>May 12</i>	<i>Lillian Reid</i>	<i>73</i>
<i>May 16</i>	<i>Mark Cooke</i>	<i>43</i>
<i>May 16</i>	<i>Scott Hillyard</i>	<i>35</i>
<i>May 23</i>	<i>Roy Pittman</i>	<i>52</i>
<i>May 23</i>	<i>Betty Rideout</i>	<i>49</i>
<i>May 25</i>	<i>Brandon Rideout</i>	<i>22</i>
<i>May 27</i>	<i>Alexandra Anstey</i>	<i>21</i>
<i>May 28</i>	<i>Nina Welsh</i>	<i>?</i>
<i>May 29</i>	<i>Sharon Burden</i>	<i>?</i>
<i>May 30</i>	<i>Irene Curlew</i>	<i>71</i>
<i>June 8</i>	<i>Clarence Reid</i>	<i>76</i>
<i>June 8</i>	<i>Wade Reid</i>	<i>62</i>
<i>June 8</i>	<i>Vicki Langdon</i>	<i>41</i>
<i>June 9</i>	<i>Roger Barrett</i>	<i>73</i>
<i>June 11</i>	<i>Eric Pittman</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>June 11</i>	<i>Shannon Cooke</i>	<i>37</i>
<i>June 11</i>	<i>Tara Simms</i>	<i>35</i>
<i>June 12</i>	<i>Kyler Reid</i>	<i>7</i>

*Anniversaries:*

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Years</i>
<i>May 16</i>	<i>Angela &amp; Archie Butt</i>	<i>36</i>
<i>May 24</i>	<i>Louise &amp; Reginald Pittman</i>	<i>56</i>
<i>June 6</i>	<i>Bonita &amp; Lloyd Lush</i>	<i>30</i>

**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 and take advantage of 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.

**SOD/HAY FIELDS**

Now that summer 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 approaching please note the cost of all Permits:  
 Commercial (per building) \$200  
 New House: \$100  
 House Extension: \$50  
 Accessory Buildings: \$25  
 General Repairs: \$10  
 Clearing Land no charge

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

**DROPPINGS**

With summer quickly approaching the snow is melted and there is a mess of animal droppings starting to appear. Please be considerate of your neighbors and the walkers of our community....Clean up after your pets!

**FUNDRAISING**

Carson Young is 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

**THANK YOU**

Rita Matchim and Family would like to send out sincere thanks to everyone who visited, sent messages, brought food/cards/flowers and provided support during the passing of Gord.

**OFFICE CLOSURE**

The office will be closed on Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> in observance of Victoria Day. Sorry for any inconvenience.

**WRECKS**

The town would like to advise residents that wrecked vehicles have to be tarped or removed. Council would like for residents to make a special effort to keep our town clean from such debris. Council is offering residents an opportunity to register their wrecks with the council office for free removal.

**JOKE**

Dave's parrot was always using bad language, so he asked the vet how he could stop it. "Every time the bird swears, put it in the freezer for 15 seconds," advised the vet.

The next time the parrot uttered an expletive, Dave did as the vet said. Then, feeling guilty, Dave opened the freezer.

Shivering, the parrot came out saying, "I'm sorry for all the bad language I've been using." Dave was astounded at the sudden change. Then the parrot said, "By the way, what did the chicken do?"

**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