



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

June 2008

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Reidville Recreation Committee Inc.:

- Terri-Lynn Curlew, Chairperson
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Rose Marie Young, Treasurer
Directors: Roy Pittman, Ida Pinksen, John (Bud) MacDonald, Vicki Reid, Jackie Barrett, Paula Stagg, Terri-Lynn Nichols

08 the Firemen will be holding another delicious breakfast. This breakfast will be in aid of the Stephan Hopkins Memorial Foundation. To purchase tickets for this worthy cause please contact a member of the Fire department

BOTTLE DRIVE

The firemen collected recyclables door to door in January and are hoping to repeat this fundraiser in the near future. 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 second \$100 bill was Owen Pittman. The Reidville Fire Dept is also selling tickets on a Handcrafted Hunting Accessory Belt, donated by Jerry Dobbin. If you are interested in purchasing tickets please contact one of the firemen.

STUDENT SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

With Summer just around the corner council is now accepting resumes for summer employment. All students that are interested are asked to drop off a resume at the council office or email it to the above email address. The deadline for accepting resumes will be June 20th at 12:00 noon.

RECREATION TICKET SALE

Recreation is currently selling tickets on 1st prize: Texas Mikey, 2nd prize: 40 oz Lambs Rum, 3rd prize: Two Dozen Beer. To be drawn on June 13, 2008. Anyone interested in tickets please contact a member of recreation.

COME HOME YEAR 2009

Any person who would like to volunteer to help out during the Come Home Year fundraisers 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

FIREMAN'S BREAKFAST

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 YEAR FLEA MARKET

The Flea Market was a big success. A total of \$514.00 was raised at this event. Thank you to all the residents who donated or helped in any way it was greatly appreciated. The things that were left from the Flea Market were donated to the Stephan Hopkins Memorial Foundation for their upcoming Flea Market.

INTERAC MACHINE

Due to the high operating cost of the interac machine council has no choice but to charge a 1% service fee on all credit card transactions. This will become effective on June 24, 2008. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Congratulations to our Graduates:



- Amber Lee Elms
Andrew Guy
Mila Major
Shannon Butt
Britney Keeping

The Town Council wishes you all the luck on your future endeavours!

RECREATION'S UPCOMING EVENTS

HEY KIDS!!! The Recreation committee will be having a cleanup day on June 14th beginning at 2:00 pm at the Community Hall. The purpose of this is to clean up the area around the Community Hall, playground and ballfield. After the cleanup there will be free pizza. If you have rakes and gloves please bring them. Why not have a fun day with friends while keeping our community facilities clean with a free lunch to boot!!!

Come out and Celebrate the beginning of Summer by attending a dance featuring the live band "FULL CIRCLE". The dance will be held on June 28th at the Community Hall. Doors will open at 10:00 pm and there will be a \$5.00 cover charge. Hope to see everyone there.

The recreation will be having a Canada Day celebration on July 1st starting around 12:00 at the Community Hall. The details of this celebration are still in the works but it looks like it will be a great day with lots of fun for all. More information will be available in the next week or so. Feel free to call the council office if you have any questions. 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. There is a gentleman who will remove the wrecks for free as long as there are two back wheels in place or that two can be put in place. Please contact the town office for more details. Please note that all liabilities will be placed on the property owner. If the wreck cannot be moved by this gentleman, 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, June 24<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 bingo, 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.

**TICKET DRAW:** Thank-you goes out to Wanda Reid who donated Cookies. This item raised \$81.00.

**RECYCLABLES**

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department along with the Reidville Recreation Committee will be "sharing" all recycling proceeds from the town in coming months. The purpose of the Fire Department's involvement is for all funds to go toward the "New Truck Fund". The Recreations portion will go toward the upkeep of the Community Hall and the Playground. If you have recycling you would like to contribute,

you can either place it beside your garbage box on garbage day, drop it off in the recycling box by the community hall or bring it to the depot in Deer Lake and tell the staff it is for the "Reidville Volunteer Fire Dept". Thank you for your support.

**NOTE:** Before you place your recyclables out for collection, please ensure that all caps are removed. Please do not crush cans but you may crush plastic bottles and juice containers. The Recycling Depot will **NOT** take any item that has a stopper can that has been crushed. They will accept milk containers or laundry bottles but they will accept containers. Thank you.



**SPECIAL GREETINGS**

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
June 9	Roger Barrett	64
June 11	Eric Pittman	44
June 13	Nikita Reid	22
June 22	Cindy Budgell	51
June 22	Tyson Curtis	3
June 22	Elizabeth Hiscock	73
June 29	Florence Reid	?
June 29	Alice Reid	?
June 20	Althea Reid	?
July 1	Don Brake	?
July 4	Timothy Curlew	17
July 7	Rose Marie Young	48
July 7	Sandra McKay	48
July 8	Roderick Reid	44
July 12	Marjorie Oxford	65
July 12	Oscar Hiscock	51
July 13	Philip Fudge	9
July 14	Justin Curlew	19
July 14	Jeremy Curlew	19
July 14	Shawn Janes	44

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
June 12	Arthur & Alice Reid	49
June 22	Dean & Darlene Pittman	?
June 27	Doug & Jean Hiscock	?
June 30	Lloyd & Doris Jones	35
July 4	Paul & Bonnie Reid	21
July 8	Jason & Paula Stagg	2
July 12	Rick & Sharon Burden	16

**REIDVILLE RECREATION COMMITTEE INC.**

The Reidville Recreation Committee hold their regular monthly meetings on the first Tuesday afternoon of every month starting at 1:30 pm 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.

**ROAMING ANIMALS**

Council has received complaints about roaming dogs, particularly on Reidville

Road and Community Square. For the safety and convenience of residents, please ensure that your pet is secured at all times.

**WELLNESS FOR LIFE**

The "Wellness for Life" group is now finished for the summer. Residents will be informed of the start up date in the fall.

**PERMITS**

Spring is in the air and so to is the increase in construction. Council would like to advise residents that permits are required for new construction as well as general repairs. Any new construction requires approval from council, which could take up to one month

The costs 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.

**TAX COLLECTION**

As of Friday June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2008 the town's collection rate for the current year (2008) stands at 80.20%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 76.42%.

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	

