



## TOWN OF REIDVILLE

### Community Newsletter

June 2009

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#### Reidville Volunteer Fire Department



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#### Reidville Recreation

#### Committee Incs:

Jackie Barrett, Chairperson  
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Directors:  
Terri-Lynn Curlew  
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John (Bud) MacDonald  
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### MUNICIPAL ELECTION YEAR

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!!

### RECREATION MONTH

June has been recognized as recreation month . Listed are a few of the activities that our recreation committee has organized:

June 6<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 - there was a cleanup around the playground and ballfield area. The recreation committee would like to send out a big THANK YOU to the kids that came out to help! (They may have been little but they were a BIG help)

June 13<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 - there will be a scavenger hunt. Meet at the ball field. Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult

June 20<sup>th</sup> at 1:30- join the committee for a Father's Day arts and crafts session followed by games and lots of FUN!!

July 1<sup>st</sup> - Canada Day Celebration: this event is still in the planning stages please keep an eye out for posters with the information and details.

Keep an eye out this month for a new piece of playground equipment!!

### HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be **flushing the town's fire hydrants** beginning at 9 am on **Sunday, June 14**. Residents are asked to please note this date on their calendar and to be sure and use caution if you happen to be washing laundry on this date.

### WRECKS

This year it is very important to have all wrecked vehicles tarped or removed because of the Come Home Year celebration which will bring many people into the town. With this in mind 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 removal. The fee for removal is \$25 per vehicle, council would be willing to pay \$15( the bulk) and the resident would be responsible for paying the other \$10 (which has to be paid up front).

Anyone with a wreck in their yard has until June 15 to comply with the bylaw listed below. After this date the town will have no choice but to have the vehicle removed at the owner's expense.

#### Town's Regulations:

*"...that any vehicle, not licensable, that does not have four tires and has major external body parts (e.g. fenders, doors) missing shall be considered a wreck and therefore has to be either removed or tarped immediately. Those individuals not complying with the town's by-law will have their wreck vehicle removed at the expense of the owner."*

### BELLY DANCING WORKSHOP

There will be free Belly Dancing workshops during Come Home Year festivities sponsored by Diane MacDonald. Please call Minnetta Reid at 635-3915 to register. Workshops will be held at the Community Hall on July 11<sup>th</sup> (1-2pm), 12<sup>th</sup> (11am-12), and 13<sup>th</sup> (11am-12). Open to females aged 13 to 100 yrs.

### REIDVILLE COME HOME YEAR

Craft Table - space available on Wednesday, July 15, 2009: The cost is twenty dollars for the day. The crafts person must supply your own table of stand. The product must be a Craft or Artwork but cannot be a flea market product. It must not use any reference to Reidville Come Home Year 2009 in any form. Contact Barbara Anstey at 635-5751 or email Barbara at [kbanstey@nf.sympatico.ca](mailto:kbanstey@nf.sympatico.ca) for more details or to reserve your space.

### SUMMER STUDENT EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Council has received notification that they can employ six students for seven weeks for 35 hrs pr week and one student for four weeks at 25 hrs pr week. Any students seeking summer employment with the Town of Reidville are reminded that they have to have their resumes submitted to the town office no later than June 19<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm. Interviews for summer employment will take place on Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>. All candidates will be notified of their interview time slot. Resumes can be dropped off at the office, sent to the above address or emailed to [townofreidville@nf.aibn.com](mailto:townofreidville@nf.aibn.com).

**COME HOME YEAR COMMITTEE**

**Volunteers Help Needed**

Reidville Come Home Year 2009 Volunteers Needed. Anyone willing to help out in any way is asked to call Cliff Reid at 635-5288.

**Family, Trees & Museum Display**

The time has come. Please dig out your "keepsakes" for display and call one of the members to let us know when it would be a good time for you to drop it off at the Hall or for us to pick it up. Your item(s) will be returned to you after the events are over on July 16<sup>th</sup>. Please identify the item and tell us any little story you may have concerning it.

We are hoping to display older items that you may have around the house and was used in some way during earlier years; Items that you may think will not interest others quite often stimulate great conversation and valuable information for younger members of our community. This is especially true for family members returning home after being away for some time. If you have something but is not sure if it is appropriate then please give us a call. We'll help you decide.

Contacts: Bonnie & Paul Reid 635-3462, Wyatt Goosney 636-1317, Cliff Reid 635-5288, Charlene Elms 635-5003, Nina Welsh 635-5268.

**SPECIAL GREETINGS**

Birthdays:



Date	Name	Age
June 11	Shannon Budgell	29
June 15	Ethan Turner	4
June 16	Dominique Stuckless	15
June 22	Elizabeth Hiscock	74
June 22	Cindy Budgell	52
June 22	Tyson Curtis	4
June 29	Alice Reid	?
June 29	Althea Reid	?
July 1	Don Brake	74
July 4	Timothy Curlew	18
July 7	Rosemarie Young	49
July 7	Sandra Mckay	49
July 8	Roderick Reid	45
July 12	Marjorie Oxford	66
July 12	Oscar Hiscock	51
July 13	Philip Fudge	10

**Anniversaries:**

Date	Name	Years
June 22	Darlene & Dean Pittman	?
June 27	Jean & Doug Hiscock	?
June 30	Margaret & Doyle Janes	56
June 30	Doris & Lloyd Jones	36
July 4	Bonnie & Paul Reid	22
July 8	Paula & Jason Stagg	3
July 12	Sharon & Rick Burden	17

**TAX COLLECTION**

THE DUE DATE FOR TOWN TAXES IS FAST APPROACHING...PLEASE CHECK YOUR RECORDS AND ENSURE THAT YOUR ACCOUNT IS PAID IN FULL.

As of June 6, 2009 the town's collection rate for 2009 stands at 73.27%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 83.94%



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 further action is being taken!**

**INTEGRATED COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY PLAN (ICSP)**

The town of Reidville has to complete an integrated community sustainability plan within the next few months, the letter attached explains the details. A part of this plan will involve the input from community members, which will be used to evaluate the key issues to address in our community. It was decided that a survey would be the best way to include the community as a whole...please fill out the attached survey and return it to the town office as soon as possible. If you would like for someone to pick up your completed survey please call the office and arrangements will be made.

**BINGO**

The next scheduled prize bingo at the Community Hall is set for Tuesday, June 16. Doors are scheduled to open around 7 pm.

Hope to see you there.

**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.*

**PERMITS**

Council would like to advise residents that it is necessary to get a general repairs permit for repairs such as shingles, siding, windows, etc. If you are not sure if you require a permit please call the office.

**ROAMING DOGS**

There have recently been some complaints about roaming dogs. Council would like to

remind residents to please keep their animals tied-up at all times. Any animal caught roaming is considered a public nuisance and will be placed in the kennels. NOTE: Any time Wayne is in Reidville - whether it is garbage day or not - he is responsible for capturing any roaming pets.

**BURNING OF DEBRIS**

Council would like to inform residents that it is against the law to burn certain things such as tires, flammable items, etc. This can have an environmental impact and can result in fines. If you decide to burn debris that you are not sure of please contact the Department of Environment first.

**GENERAL LICENCE PERMIT**

Johnny Dinney has requested a permit for a General Licence. This licence would enable Mr. Dinney to perform inspections and maintenance on tractor trailers and other large trucks in his garage at 5 Elms Street. If any resident has any opposition, questions, or concerns with this please put it in writing and submit it to the town office by June 24, 2009. Any correspondence received will be confidential.

**YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Congratulations go out to Nikita Reid who graduated from Sir Wilfred Grenfell College with a Bachelor of Arts degree, a major in psychology and a minor in Sociology on May 15<sup>2009</sup>.

Congratulation to Robin Reid who received the Legion Medal of Excellency and a Service Medal from the Deer Lake Sea Cadet Core on May 9, 2009.

If there is any item you would like printed in the Youth Accomplishments section, please feel free to contact the council office at your convenience.

**WATER CONSERVATION**

The Town of Deer Lake are asking the residents of Deer Lake and Reidville to conserve water to get a jump on what is usually a concern in mid to later summer.

**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

