



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

June 2014

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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department

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HVAHHE

The Humber Valley Agricultural Home and Handicrafts Exhibition is the longest running agricultural fair in the region and brings visitors and exhibitors from near and far. The fair committee in conjunction with The Grand Lake Centre for Economic Development is currently attempting to secure land and establish a permanent fairground in the region.

Book next year's date in your calendar – **September 12-13, 2014.** We hope to see you there!

RECREATION NEWS

Yoga: The gentle stretching and relaxation yoga program will be held on Thursday at 12 noon. There will be a \$2 fee per week. Hope to see everyone there!

Knitting Circle: Come join the group on Monday afternoons from 1:30-3:30 p.m. Come on out for some socializing and fun times! Hope to see you there!!!!

Zumba: We are so excited about the zumba sessions on Monday and Wednesday evening beginning at 6:30! Hope to see you all there!

Golf Lessons: We are looking at providing a youth golf program (ages 5 to 16) if we get enough interest. We will have to have names of interested youth by June 20th. There will be no charge for this program and transportation will be available. Please call Karen at 635-5232 to register.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

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 27th at 2 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.

Qualifications for these positions are:

-Must have been a full time student during the last school year (2013-2014).

-Intend to return to school full time in the fall of 2014

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 Saturday, June 7, 2014, 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. **Please Note: We will not be taking toxic items (oil cans, paint cans, etc.) or tires.**

SOD FARMS/HAYFIELDS

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

FOOD DRIVE

There will be a Spring Food Drive on Saturday, June 7th. 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 635-5297.

PERMITS

With spring quickly approaching please note the cost of all Permits:

Commercial (per building)	\$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.

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 the month. **Please Note:** All taxes for prior years must be paid in full before a permit will be issued.

CANADA DAY CELEBRATION

Come one...Come all!! The Reidville Council has a full afternoon of activities planned for Tuesday, July 1st starting with a bike parade at 2:30 p.m., raising of the flag and singing of Oh Canada at 3:00 p.m., hot dogs/ hamburgers, salads, cake and beverages, jumpy castle, kids games, lollipop tree and fish pond to follow!

SPECIAL EVENTS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
June 11	Eric Pittman	50
June 11	Tara Pinksen	32
June 11	Shannon Cooke	34
June 12	Kyler Reid	4
June 16	Dominique Stuckless	20
June 18	Beverly Pittman	51
June 19	Courtney Pittman	16
June 20	A.J. Nichols	14
June 22	Elizabeth Hiscock	79
June 22	Cindy Budgell	57
June 22	Johnny Dinney	47
June 22	Tyson Curtis	9
June 29	Florence Reid	75
June 29	Althea Reid	?
July 1	Don Brake	79
July 2	Abbigale Reid	11
July 3	Scott Elms	?
July 4	Timothy Curlew	23
July 7	Rose Marie Young	54
July 7	Sandra Mckay	54
July 8	Roderick Reid	50
July 12	Marjorie Oxford	71
July 12	Oscar Hiscock	56
July 12	Joe Kennedy	?
July 13	Phillip Fudge	15
July 14	Shawn Janes	50
July 14	Justin Curlew	27
July 14	Jeremy Curlew	27

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
June 12	Alice & Arthur Reid	55
June 22	Darlene & Dean Pittman	?
June 27	Jean & Doug Hiscock	?
June 30	Doris & Lloyd Jones	41
July 4	Bonnie & Paul Reid	27
July 8	Crystal & Desmond Major	14
July 8	Paula & Jason Stagg	8
July 11	Rhonda & Byron Reid	5
July 12	Sharon & Rick Burden	22
July 12	Tara & Scottie Simms	1

TAX COLLECTION

As of June 2nd the town's collection rate for 2014 stands at 99.31%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 90.07%.

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2014) are eligible for an additional 5% discount. **Please advise the office if you will reach the age of 65 during the 2014 year so that your taxes can be adjusted to reflect the discount on your 2014 tax bill.**

ANIMAL CONTROL

Please keep your dogs tied on and on your own property at all times. The Animal Control Officer will be making extra rounds in the community. If you are out walking your dogs be sure to have them on a

leash and take your bags to clean up after them.

STUDENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Congratulations to the following cadets who received awards at the Annual Inspection.

Victoria Power – Best Dressed Junior Cadet.

Samantha Janes – Instructor Award and 5 year Service Medal.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

What Makes a Dad
 God took the strength of a mountain,
 The majesty of a tree,
 The warmth of a summer sun,
 The calm of a quiet sea,
 The generous soul of nature,
 The comforting arm of night,
 The wisdom of the ages,
 The power of the eagle's flight,
 The joy of a morning in spring,
 The faith of a mustard seed,
 The patience of eternity,
 The depth of a family need,
 Then God combined these qualities,
 When there was nothing more to add,
 He knew His masterpiece was complete,
 And so, He called it ... Dad
Author Unknown

HEALTH TIP

Keeping stress at bay is essential to keeping healthy. High stress levels can cause unwanted health problems later on down the road, including heart disease and high blood pressure. Everyone deals with stress whether it be related to work or relationships, however, there are ways to manage stress so it doesn't affect your body negatively. If you're feeling stressed about something it is important to take a step back and **evaluate** your current situation. Remember that you are probably not the only person that is dealing with the issues that you are facing. Take a few deep breaths and realize that you have the power to solve whatever it is that's taxing you. It just takes a little **perspective**. Keeping calm is crucial in stressful situations no matter how difficult this may be.

Stress often comes about during arguments with relatives and loved ones. If this happens to you make

sure to attempt to **resolve** these situations as soon as possible. Try not to hold grudges against family members no matter how wrong you may think they are. It's extremely unhealthy for your body and mind. The same goes for arguments with friends. If you feel that anyone is toxic to your life it's important to distance yourself from those types of people if necessary.

No matter how stressful your day or week may be try to always make time for yourself. **Pamper yourself.** Take a long, hot shower. Splurge on a massage. Get a mani/pedi. Do whatever it takes to get your mind off life for a little while. This time will allow you to be more productive in the long run.

JOKE

It was the last day of school, and all the students were bringing presents for their teacher. A florist's daughter came up and gave her teacher a box.

The teacher said, I will bet these are flowers!

The girl replied, How did you know?

Just a lucky guess, she said.

Next, a boy whose family owned a candy store came up and gave the teacher a box. She said that she knew it was candy. When the boy asked how she knew, she again said, Just a lucky guess.

Finally, a boy whose father owned a liquor store came up and gave the teacher a box, but one of the box's corners was damp from a leak. The teacher asked the boy if it was wine.

The boy said, No.

She touched the leak and put it to her tongue and asked if it was champagne. The boy again said no.

Finally, she gave up and asked him what was in the box.

He said happily, A puppy!

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
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