

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

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SANDY'S LOOKOUT

On Saturday, July 17 at 9 am residents and friends are invited to help with the erection of the "Sandy Reid's Memorial Lookout. The location of the site is just across the road from "Uncle Sandy's" home at 203 Reidville Road.

Any help would be greatly appreciated. For more information, please contact Stanley Pinksen at 635-3345.

CONVENIENCE STORE

Council will be holding a special meeting of council on Thursday, July 8th at 3:30 pm to address concerns relating to the possible construction of a Convenience Store in Rex Elms' basement at 13 Forest Road. As with any public meeting of council, this meeting is open to the general public however, if you wish to have an opportunity to speak, you must register your name with the council office before the meeting time (by 2 pm Thursday, July 8th).

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

High School Graduates: Congratulations go out to our three Level III graduates who completed their high school education at Elwood Regional High School in Deer Lake on June 25th. The graduates include Brent Anstey, Nikita Reid and Matthew Drover who was named "King" of his graduating class by his fellow graduates during the ceremonies held June 24th. Congratulations also goes out

to Sabrina Barrett who graduated June 18, 2004 from the College of the North Atlantic with her Level III education.

Elementary Accomplishments: Congratulations go out to Amanda Lozier on receiving 1st place in the Grade 4 speak off held in mid June. Amanda completed Grade 4 with a certificate of merit in math and a perfect attendance award.

SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM

The Summer Youth Recreation Program held annually by the students employed through the town is scheduled to run this year from July 19th to August 6th, 2004. The cost for any child taking part in the program is \$3.50. NOTE: This has to be paid before the end of the program whether your child has attended one day or all 15 days. The targeted ages for this program are youth from Kindergarten to Grade 6 and will be operating from 1 to 3 pm from Monday to Friday.

GARBAGE

When placing your debris to the side of the road for pick up, please ensure that your bag is TIED. A couple of homes have not been tying their bags leading to the town's employee having to stop and tie their bag before placing it in the truck. This may not seem like much, however if every house hold decided not to tie their bag, there would be

almost impossible for the garbage to be picked up in one day. Thank you.

STREET LIGHTS

If any individual in town notices a street light that is not working, could you please contact the council office so the light can be called into Newfoundland Power. These street lights cost council on a monthly basis. If it is not working, your money and council's money is going to waste.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

The Reidville Recreation Committee recently purchased a new piece of equipment for the Reidville Playground. It is hoped that this piece of equipment - a digger - will be installed within the next month! Thank you residents for your contributions to the Prize Bingos. Some of the proceeds from these events went towards the purchase of this piece of equipment which cost well over \$800.00.

FIRE DEPT TICKETS

Congratulations go out to Faye Janes the winner of the hunter's belt draw held by the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department. This draw took place during Father's Day weekend and netted the department around \$1000.00 towards new equipment. Thank you to all who supported this cause.

YOUTH SOFTBALL PROGRAM

The youth softball program is underway. To date, teams A&B are meeting on Tuesday evenings and team C is meeting Wednesday evenings. If you wish further clarification, please contact either Bruce Curlew or Cal Bradley.

LOST & FOUND

The following items have been found either on the

town's playground or at the beach:

- 1 visor
- 1 grey fleece with orange on the shoulders
- 1 grey hoodie.

Any person owning any of these items may pick them up at the council office from 9 am to 3 pm daily.

LOST: One set of keys with about six keys on it.

PERMITS

If you are intending to build a piece on your home, put in a new bridge, patio or siding and windows, this is just a reminder that you require a permit before your construction can begin.

TAX COLLECTION

It is that time of year again - if your taxes with the town are not paid in full, your account is in arrears. **If you have not been making regular payments, you will be receiving a notice of further action as of Friday, July 9th.**

To date, the tax collection rate with the town for the current year stands at:

78.71% up from 78.44% at the same time last year. The town is still owed: \$55,542.17 for the current year and arrears.

NEWSLETTERS

NOTE: There will not be a newsletter delivery for August. The next scheduled newsletter will be delivered in mid-September.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

- Doctor on Call-----1-800-261-0741
- Fire Alarm-----635-5600
- RCMP-----635-2173
- Ambulance-----635-3020
- Newfoundland Power-----1-800-474-5711
- Council Office-----635-5232