



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

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SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Council is pleased to announce that the summer student employment program is well underway. Hired this summer are:

Kristen Gillard, Kristen King, Scott Normore, Alexandra Anstey, Samantha Janes, Kayne Normore and Jordan Pittman.

Congratulations students and keep up the good work.

CANADA DAY!

Council would like to thank everyone for coming out to help celebrate Canada's Birthday. A thank you also goes out to the volunteers and the student employees who helped make this event a big success. Congratulations to the winners of the best decorated bikes/strollers!

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.

TIDY TOWNS


July 17th at 10:00 a.m. is the time allotted to Reidville for the Tidy Town judge to view our town. With this in mind, council is hoping that residents will make that little extra effort to help make our town as beautiful as possible. The students have been working diligently to ensure that most important areas are concentrated on however some ditches may not be able to be completed in front of individual properties. If you have the opportunity, could you please assist in this area.

Also, during the time the judge is in town, if you see her, please do not hesitate to stop and speak to her. We are a very friendly town and have a lot to be proud of. Our judge is Tracy Devoe-Smith - lets all do our part to make her welcome.

Thank you and happy tidying!

NOTE: Reidville won the Tidiness Effort award in 2005 and won Tidy Towns 2006....Our time has come again!!!

GRADUATES

Graduate: When we published the list of High School Graduates for the 2011-2012 school year, we missed one young lady. Congratulations go out to  Ashley Reid.

KIDS LIVE WELL MARATHON

This program started on Canada Day with a good number of our youth signing up and will end on August 11, 2012. The Grand Finale will take place at 2:00 p.m. on August 11th at Bowater Field in Deer Lake. All participants received a tracking sheet and information sheet explaining the intent of this program which is to encourage keeping active and eating healthy. It incorporates 30 minutes of activity a day and following Canada's Food Guide. All participants are asked to come to the council office every Wednesday to have their sheets signed, get a charm for their laces and to be entered for the weekly prize draw. There will be a weekly activity provided through the Kids Live Well program that are listed below:

July 14: Family Swim from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the Hodder Memorial Complex.

July 21: Half Way Hoopla at the Strawberry Festival. Please see Strawberry Festival booklet for times.

Aug 4: Physical activity at Park Fitness. Time to be announced

SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM FOR YOUTH

The regular summer recreation program for youth is scheduled to be held this year from Monday, July 23 until Friday, August 10 from 1-3 pm, Monday to Friday daily at the Reidville Community Hall. This program promotes physical activity, social interaction and a safe environment for children to play. There are a lot of fun activities planned for this year so make sure you don't miss out on all the fun. There will be no charge for the program this year. Registration forms can be picked up at the office prior to the start date, or you may wait until Monday to register your child. For more information, please contact the council office from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily.

BIGGEST LOOSER!

There will be another 12 week challenge starting on July 19, 2012 at the Reidville community hall. There will be a \$5 charge per week - \$3 goes to the weekly winner and the other \$2 is held to give to the biggest loser over all at the end of the twelve weeks. If you have any questions or would like to put your name in for the next weight challenge contact Terri Lynn Curlew via face book or at 636-1861.

SPECIAL GREETINGS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
July 12	Marjorie Oxford	69
July 12	Oscar Hiscock	54
July 13	Phillip Fudge	13
July 14	Shawn Janes	48
July 14	Justin Curlew	25
July 14	Jeremy Curlew	25
July 16	Rebecca Reid	13
July 18	Louise Pittman	69
July 18	Colleen Janes	19
July 20	Terrance Curlew	17
July 24	Byron Reid	34
July 25	Shirley MacDonald	58
July 28	Glenda Reid	58
July 30	Jessica Lush	25
July 31	Earl Reid	55
Aug 2	Darlene Pittman	41
Aug 4	Doug Hiscock	?
Aug 5	Ester Oxford	77
Aug 9	Trina King	?
Aug 10	Raymond Curlew	82
Aug 11	Ashley Guy	23
Aug 12	Angela Butt	53
Aug 12	Steve Curtis	36
Aug 13	Irene Reid	63

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
July 11	Rhonda & Byron Reid	3
July 12	Sharon & Rick Burden	24
July 16	Debbie & Oscar Hiscock	35
July 27	Hazel & Willie Reid	39
Aug 4	Betty & Ira Rideout	12
Aug 6	Kerri-Leigh & Chad Reid	1
Aug 9	Irene & Raymond Curlew	32

TAX COLLECTION

As of July 6, 2012, the town's collection rate for 2012 stands at 99.62%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 99.53%

Council would like to sincerely thank residents who have been diligent with the payment of their account. If you are in the percentage that does not have all of your account paid in full - warnings have been issued and will be carried out on the date listed.

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2012) are eligible for an additional 5% discount.

BINGO

There will be a prize bingo in aid of former Reidville Mayor Louie MacDonald at the Reidville Community Hall on Tuesday, July 17th. Doors are scheduled to open at 7 p.m. with the game starting at 8 p.m. There will be 4 - 50/50 draws, a winner take all, Jackpot (grocery box approx. value of \$300.00) and 20 prize games with awesome prizes!

If you have a prize, you would like to donate to this worthy cause please call the town office.

WATER REGULATIONS

As of May 1, 2012, the water connection fee is \$250.00. Note: the connection fees cover the cost of providing services to your property boundary or a maximum of 25 feet which ever is less. Any and all additional cost must be born by the customer. Some of these additional costs may include any extension of waterlines (which must comply with the towns regulations). Cutting and replacing of pavement, excavating, pipe, labour and any other costs that may occur during a waterline hookup.

DOG OWNER

We are having a lot of complaints about dogs barking at night. We ask that you please keep them inside after 11 p.m. There are also dogs and cats getting into residents' small gardens, please respect your neighbors...gardens can be timely and costly.

Due to the number of complaints Council has made a motion to send out letters concerning dogs and cats roaming at large, if your dog or cat is seen roaming you will get a warning letter and if your dog or cat still continues to roam a second letter will be issued and you will be fined.

SPEEDERS BEWARE

Reminder for those speeding through town, we have a 50-km/hr speed zone. We will be asking the RCMP to make more frequent visits and we will be looking at installing a speed camera.

HALL BOOKINGS

For future Community Hall bookings, please the town office at 635-5232 or email at townofreidville@nf.aibn.com

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST

There will be a community breakfast on July 28, 2012. All proceeds from this breakfast will be donated to Linda Oxford and family. Any donation of breakfast items would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off at the Town Office. The tickets will be \$6.00 per plate and can be purchased at

the town office or from members of the fire department. This is a very worthwhile cause and we are hoping for a great turnout.

FUND RAISING EVENING

There will be a fund-raising event in aid of former Reidville Mayor Louie MacDonald at the Reidville Community Hall on Saturday, July 14th beginning at 9:00 p.m. All welcome for an evening of Fun Five entertainment, a silent auction, 50/50 draws and a BBQ! The admission will be \$5.00 or a donation of choice. For more information, please contact: Eric Reid at 635-3915 or 636-1719; Clarence Reid at 635-3205 or 636-1329.

SERVICE DOG IN AREA

This is a working animal trained for Maverick's Special Needs. Please follow Rules and Regulations regarding Service Dogs for everyone's safety:

DO NOT PET DOG (children **MAY BE** given permission if they ask)

BE SURE YOUR DOG IS TETHERED AND NOT PERMITTED TO APPROACH THE SERVICE DOG. (This dog is highly trained and very expensive....even if your dog is on your own property it should be tethered because this dog will be walking with a child on the side of the road and should your dog do any damage there will be a high price to pay)

PLEASE KEEP YOUR SPEED IN CHECK BECAUSE THERE WILL BE A DOG AND CHILD WALKING AT TIMES.

THIS DOG WILL BE PERMITTED ACCESS ANYWHERE THE CHILD GOES.

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Congratulations to Isaiah Simms who was voted Junior Athlete of the 2011-2012 school year!!!

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

