



**TOWN  
OF REIDVILLE  
Community  
Newsletter**

**August, 2007**

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**Reidville Recreation  
Committee Inc.:**

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**ROADWAY LITTER**

In seven weeks the summer students picked up the litter along Reidville Road as well as the by-roads twice, and now it looks like their hard work was not appreciated. Council would like to bring attention to this matter as it is a criminal offence, and residents are liable for the debris in their dumps that blow out onto the roadways.

**BINGO**

The Reidville Recreation Committee and the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department have scheduled their next Bingo for Tuesday September 25. Hope to see you there.

Anyone wanting to donate prizes for the Bingo may do so by dropping their item off at the council office or by contacting a recreation member.

**ROAMING DOGS**

A number of complaints have been placed at the council office recently regarding animals roaming, tearing up garbage and being aggressive towards residents. Due to this matter we have increased Animal Control in our area. A call has been placed to the RCMP. If this matter continues council will have no other choice than to place orders out on the animal owners. Please note that any resident has the right to call the RCMP.

**FARMERS NEED ASSISTANCE**

Reidville is a small knit family sharing everyday life with our farmers. The beautiful farmers fields we see outlining our towns have a bigger purpose than beauty - they are the livelihood of our farmers, however due to four-wheelers, bikes and trikes, this livelihood is being endangered. It is impossible for all farmers to fence in their many hundreds of acres of fields - whether it is hay fields, sod farms or crops. These fields hold a wealth of investment for our farmers. Owners of off-terrain vehicles or parents of youth driving these vehicles are asked to use consideration when traveling the fields of Reidville. Your bikes/4-wheelers maybe fun for you to use, but on our fields, they are extremely destructive. **Please stay off the fields.**

**BUY & SELL**

The Reidville Recreation Committee is

looking to sell two Pool Tables. Anyone interested is asked to place a bid to the council office in a sealed envelope. If there are any questions please feel free to contact the council office or contact a member of the Recreation Committee. Deadline for bidding is on September 7.

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - LINKAGES PROGRAM**

Linkages is a youth career and employment initiative designed to help young people who:

- are 18 to 29 years of age
- have limited work experience; and
- have not made a long term attachment to the workforce
- Linkages provides youth with the opportunity to:
  - obtain career related work experience
  - earn a minimum wage salary for 26 weeks
  - participate in regular career planning workshops and
  - earn a training incentive toward post-secondary education.

If you are an interested young person and met the above criteria, please submit your resume with three references and a letter outlining your career plans to:

Linkages  
Grand Lake Center of Economic Development  
44 Trans Canada Highway  
Deer Lake, NL  
A8A 2E4  
Tel: 635-3861  
Fax: 635-5103

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Deadline for receipt of applications is Friday, September 7, 2007

**ELECTRONIC BANKING**

It was noted in the previous newsletter that this service was available through Credit Union. Since that time it has been brought to councils attention that this is not so. This matter is being taken care of and this service should be in affect very soon. Council apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused.

At this time it is available through the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Bank of Montreal. We have

Special Thank you to Mr. Wilfred Hutchings for once again giving a monetary donation to the recreation Committee.

residents that are using this service and it is proving to be very successful.

If you have any questions regarding this service, please contact the office.

**YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

At the R.C.S.C.C. # 73 NFLD Sea Cadets year end banquet Amber Lee Elms was recognized for her outstanding commitment to her fellow cadets and fellow Officers. She received four individual awards which shows her dedication and commitment to this first class program for youths. Best Petty Officer Award, Best Guard Award. Best 4th Year Cadet Award and Perfect Attendance Award. She will be attending a 6 week camp at Acadia in Halifax this summer . Congratulations Amber Lee from family and friends.

Kay Serrick was also recognized for her commitment by receiving two awards. Perfect attendance and Marksmanship Award. Congratulation from family and friends.

**SPECIAL GREETINGS!**

**Birthdays:**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
July 26	Sidney Reid	51
Aug 12	Steve Curtis	?
Aug 15	Ashley Reid	?
	Bruce Curlew	51
	Minetta Reid	60
Aug 16	Martha Rumbolt	41
Aug 17	Spencer Young	26
	Bonnie Janes(Shawn)	40
Aug 18	Pauline Simms	?
Aug 19	Devon Janes	14
Aug 21	Eric Reid	61
	Damian Burden	24
Aug 22	Mayor Louie MacDonald	62
Aug 24	Faye Janes	60
	Jenica Curlew	8
	Jerica Curlew	8
Aug 27	Madison Reid	3
Aug 29	Isaiah Simms	12
Aug 31	Emily Rideout	4
Sept 1	Bonnie Janes	85
Sept 1	Marlene Janes	33
Sept 2	Juanita Reid	51
	Jody Janes	33
Sept 3	Annie Ford	76
Sept 5	Florence Reid	86
Sept 9	Jason Stagg	29

**Anniversaries:**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Years</i>
Aug 15	Ben & Motie Young	26
	Terry & Martha Rumbolt	?

Aug 17	Perry & Michelle Martin	11
Aug 19	Wal & Cindy Budgell	29
Aug 20	Bruce & Marlene Curlew	?
Aug 20	Pauline & Lyndon Simms	?
Aug 26	Carl & Karen Reid	18
Aug 27	Eugene & Florence Reid	49
Aug 29	Kimberly & Roderick Reid	20
Sept 1	Tom & Viola Reid	55

**FRIENDLY REMINDER TO HORSE OWNERS**

Any rider on a horse is asked to be very conscious of horse droppings on the town's roadways. If you are traveling on the many hay fields in our town, this is not such a concern - however while riding on any streets in our town, council would appreciate it if you cleaned up behind your animal. These beautiful creatures are a pleasure to look at and Reidville is the home of many - however their droppings can be both a nuisance and a safety hazzard as walkers are forced to walk around it as they travel the town's roadways. Please keep our town, clean, green and happy.

**PERMITS**

If you are intending to do ANY construction, council would like to remind residents that building applications MUST be filled out and returned to the office for council approval. Council meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month. Due to the excessive amount of residents constructing without approval or permit, any resident that continues to construct without a permit or has been ordered to stop work council will proceed with the dismantling of the construction.

**ATV COMPLAINTS**

A complaint was put into the council office regarding ATV's going onto residents property. Not only is this considering trespassing, it is destructive to owners land. Many residents take great pride in their property, and to have it destroyed is very unfair to those who have invested time and money to ensure that their land is presentable. Council and residents would appreciate for everyone to keep in mind "Do onto to others as you would have them do onto you".

**WRECKED VEHICLES**

Wishing to remove wrecks from your property. There are a number of businesses in Deer Lake who supply

this service. Please contact either at your convenience. **NOTE: The town's regulations are printed below for your convenience. Please ensure that any vehicles you have on your property complies with the 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."**

**BACK TO SCHOOL**

It's back to school time and safety has to be the top item on the timetable. Drivers are asked to be extra cautious and parents are asked to remind their children (including their teens) to please stand on the side of the road off the pavement while waiting for the school bus.

**TAX COLLECTION**

As of August 9, 2007, the town's collection rate for 2007 stands at 97.47%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 97.91%.



Council would like to sincerely thank residents who

have been diligent with the payment of their account and would like to remind everyone that June 30<sup>th</sup> was the due date for 2007 taxes. Please note that interest is now being charged to those accounts not paid in full.

**To those residents in arrears and not honoring agreements, please note that further action is being taken!**

**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
- Health Line..... 1-888-709-2929