

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

September, 2007

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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department



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Reidville Recreation Committee Inc.: Terri-Lynn Curlew, Chairperson Donna Rumbolt, Co-Chair Bonnie Reid, Secretary Rose Marie Young, Treasurer Directors: Roy Pittman Ida Pinksen John (Bud) MacDonald vacant seat

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be doing their regular biannual flushing of the fire hydrants starting 9 a.m. on Sunday, September 30th. There should be minimal disturbance in your water supply however residents are asked to be cautious as there may be some discoloration for a short period of time. Thank you.

FIRE HYDRANT INSTALLATION

Fire hydrant installation for Forest Road is scheduled for Friday, September 21. Unless there is a scheduling conflict with our backhoe operator or a delay in the delivery of the hydrant.

NOTE: It is hoped that water service interruptions in this area will be minimal however please be prepared for interruptions.

BINGO

The Reidville Recreation Committee along with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their first prize bingo of the Fall on **Tuesday September 25, 2007.** Hope to see you there.

The Recreation Committee would also like residents to know that 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.

ANIMAL CONTROL

Due to the increase in complaints regarding pets roaming council is asking any resident that has a problem to please contact the office with written permission to allow the Animal Control Officer to enter ones property to capture an animal.

BOIL ORDER ADVISORY

Due to the waterline break in the Town of Deer Lake on September 18, 2007 we are currently operating under a boil order advisory until further notice.

Please watch for notices on the community bulletin board.

BUY & SELL

The Reidville Recreation Committee has two Pool Tables for sale. Anyone interested is asked to make an offer by contacting the council office or a recreation member.



The regularly scheduled meeting for council set for October 8, 2007 has

been rescheduled for October 1, 2007 due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

ELECTRONIC BANKING

Council has been in contact with Credit Union and have been advised that the electronic service will not be available until December. However, they have set up the service so that you are able to go to the Credit Union and make payment through the bank. Council apologizes for this inconvenience. At this time it is available through the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Bank of Montreal. We have 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.

VANDALISM

Over the past several weeks there have been numerous reports to the council office regarding vandalism in the town (signs tore down, residents personal property destroyed and the community hall break in). The most recent is the destruction done to farm equipment on the sod fields. It was reported that windows were broken and lights beat out on tractors. This act has been reported to the RCMP, however if any residents has any information on this incident or any of the other acts of vandalism council is asking that you report your information to the council office or contact the RCMP.

Council is kindly asking all residents to be diligent and aware of things going on around them. You may think it's only minor but it could lead to something major. It's your town, lets all help keep it safe and free from such acts.....

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Reidville Economic Development Committee will be having their first meeting on Thursday, September 27 @ 7 pm at the council office.

This committee was formed through the Strategic Economic Planning meetings held during the Spring. Any residents interested in being a member of this committee are asked to please contact the council office.

SPECIAL GREETINGS! **Birthdays:** Date Name Sept 1 Terri Lynn Nichols Sept. 12 Melvin Ball 76 Sept. 13 Goldie Laydon 57 Cora Lee Reid 14 Jason Reid 2 Sept. 14 Mae Ball 71 Ricky Young ? Sept. 15 Byron Reid 2 Courtney Reid 22 Chad Reid 22 Lorna Curtis 52 Sept. 19 Samantha Janes 11 Sept. 21 Cheri Lynn Budgell 31 Sept. 23 Elizabeth Rumbolt 83 Sept. 24 Margaret Janes 2 Sept. 25 Eric Reid 2 Sept. 27 Viola Reid 78 Oct. 2 Wilfred Curlew ? Oct. 3 Carol-Anne Dobbin 66 Oct. 4 Troy Stuckless ? *Oct.* 7 Ed Lozier 70 Trixie Ford 38 Oct. 9 Terri-Lynn Curlew 2 Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Yrs
Sept. 13	Gary & Connie Reid	10
Sept. 14	Ford & Faye Janes	43
Sept. 25	Aubrey & Bonnie Jan	e 67
Sept. 30	Edward & Darlene Pink	sen ?

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 2nd Monday of every month.

LOST & FOUND

On September 17, 2007 a resident lost their cell phone within the town - possible by the mailbox at Rocky Brook Road. If anyone finds this phone they are asked to kindly drop it off at the council office. Thankyou

TOWN INSPECTION

Due to the increased amount of unsightly wrecked vehicles and metal debris around properties and the lack of cooperation in getting these items removed, during the week of September 17 thru to September 24 members of council will be viewing areas throughout town.

Residents will be notified with a time line to have these items removed.

Council would like to thank all residents in advance for their cooperation.

DEER LAKE LIONS CLUB LOOKING FOR ASSISTANCE

The local Deer Lake Lions Club are currently collecting used glasses for distribution to needy families in both our country and abroad. If you have any glasses in your home that you have just put back, please either drop them off to the council office or contact any member of the Deer Lake Lions Club. Please pay special attention if you have children's glasses that are no longer needed. These items are in special, special need.

TAX COLLECTION

As of September , 2007, the town's collection rate for 2007 stands at 98.25%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 98.43%.



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 30th 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!

DITCHING

Council would like to advise the residents on Rocky Brook Road that over the next couple of weeks ditching will take place on a section of the road. With heavy equipment in the area council is asking residents of that area to be cautious. This construction once it begins should take up to 1 week.

Council apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

RECYCLING

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department along with the **Reidville Recreation Committee** will be "sharing" all recycling proceeds from the town in coming months. The purpose of the Fire Department's involvement is for all funds to go towards the "New Truck Fund". If you have recycling you would like to contribute, you can either place it beside your garbage box on garbage day or drop it off to the Depot in Deer Lake and tell the staff it is for the "Reidville Volunteer Fire Dept". Thank you for your support.

NOTE: Before you place your recyclables out for collection, please ensure that **all caps are removed**. The Recycling Depot will **NOT** take any item that has a stopper on it. Thank you.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS Doctor on Call....1-800-261-0741

Doctor on can1-000-201-0741		
Fire Alarm635-5600		
RCMP635-2173		
Ambulance635-3020		
NF Power1-800-474-5711		
Council Office635-5232		
Fax: 635-4498		
Health Line 1-888-709-2929		