



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community News/letter

September 2009

Members of Council

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Rick Burden
Paul Reid
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Reidville Recreation

Committee Incs:

Jackie Barrett, Chairperson
Terri Lynn Nichols, Co-Chairperson
Vicki Reid, Secretary
Paula Stagg, Treasurer

Directors:

Terri-Lynn Curlew
Jason Nichols
Ida Pinksen
Rose Marie Young

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ON SEPTEMBER 29TH

Mark your calendar- every resident, 18 years or older, is urged to get out and vote from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, September 29th.

Did you know...that if you are unable to be present for voting on election day, that you can have someone vote for you. This is called voting by proxy. All you have to do is drop by the office before election day, pick up an application and the process will be explained to you - so if you are planning to be out of town that day, your vote can still count!

Please exercise your right and help choose your council who will lead you for the next four years.

The successful nominees for council include (in alphabetical order):

BARRETT, Roger of 137 Reidville Road
BURDEN, Rick of 10 Circular Road
GARNIER, Glenda of 22 Rocky Brook Rd.
REID, David of 24 Forest Road
REID, Eric L. of 136 Reidville Road
REID, Helen of 5 Circular Road Extension
REID, Russell of 165 Reidville Road

Only five out of these seven nominations will be successful. NOTE: There is no separate election for Mayor in Reidville. The Mayor is chosen at the first meeting of the new council.

ANIMAL CONTROL

It appears that more and more animals are roaming. Please note that all animals are required to have a town tag and that animal control for this area has increased and any animal roaming will be captured and subject to the town's animal control regulations. For the safety and convenience of residents, please ensure that your pet is secured at all times. Thank you.

PAVEMENT & UPGRADE

Council would like to inform residents that the town has been awarded some funding from the Government to have some roads paved and some upgraded. This construction should begin by the first week of October and last about a month.

Council would also like to inform residents that during the construction of the roads ditching will be done. Council is aware that some ditches have been filled in and will have to be redone. Please remember that it is against town regulations to fill in your ditches.

BOIL ORDER

The town of Reidville would like to inform residents that the boil order is now lifted. Thank you for your patience!

BACK TO SCHOOL SAFETY

It's back to school time and safety has to be the top item on the timetable. Drivers are asked to be extra cautious however 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.

BINGO

The Reidville Recreation Committee along with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding a prize bingo on Tuesday, October 20, 2009.

Hope to see you there.

NOTE: At every bingo in Reidville, if you bring an item for the Food Bank, and buy one winner take all you will receive "one" free winner take all. *Only one free winner take all per person.*

If you have a prize you would like to donate to the monthly prize bingo, please contact Rose Marie Young at 635-5297 or Ida Pinksen at 635-3345 or you may drop it off at the council office.

COME HOME YEAR MERCHANDISE

There are still DVD's, cookbooks and other merchandise remaining from the come home year celebration. These items are for sale at the town office. Some of these items include zip hoodies (3 med. youth, 1 lg black adult, 1 med. pink adult), t-shirts, bags, pens, etc.

RENTAL PRICES

As of September 1, 2009, the rental prices for the community hall will be as listed:

- Weddings - \$275.00
- Showers with kitchen - \$75.00
- Showers without kitchen - \$50.00
- Birthday parties with kitchen - \$75.00
- Birthday parties without kitchen - \$50.00
- Basement - \$50.00

There will be no refund as the cleaning will be done by the recreation committee after each function.

FIREMAN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their annual fireman's ball on Saturday, November 14, 2009. Tickets will be \$30 double or \$15 single. For more information or tickets, please contact a member of the fire department.

REIDVILLE COME HOME YEAR

Thank you , thank you, thank you. To all The Reidville Come Home Year Committee 2009 members and to the multitude of volunteers - this week long of activities will go down in our history books as a huge success. From the entertainment, the food, the variety of activities and from the appearance of professionalism on the field - this event was well received and well attended by all - so thank you, thank you, thank you.

In the up coming Reidville Firemen's Ball, we will have two donations to make. Why not come along and see what your contributions to the RCHY Celebration netted our town even after the laughter has settled .

In 2009 we celebrated 30 years of incorporation - in 2029 we will celebrate 50 years of incorporation. We challenge all of you to come together in years to come and celebrate once again ... Reidville, our home, our heritage and our town. We really showed everyone that we could do it. Two years of planning and it was all worth it! Again, thank you to each and every committee member and to all of you - the residents of our small town who donated food, lent a hand, washed a dish, donated a prize, sat up all night watching the field so that all our supplies were safe. No matter what part you played in the week long festivity, we all have something to remember and be proud of.

The Executive.

SPECIAL GREETINGS

Birthdays:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>A</i>
Sept. 5	Anne Reid	?
Sept. 10	Matthew Reid	20
Sept. 10	Desmond Reid	?
Sept. 19	Samantha Janes	13
Sept. 21	Cheri-Lynn Budgell	33
Sept. 23	Elizabeth Rumbolt	85
Sept. 24	Margaret Janes	?
Sept. 24	Desirae Major	8
Sept. 25	Eric Reid (Glenda)	?
Sept. 27	Viola Reid	80
Oct. 2	Wilfred Curlew	?
Oct. 7	Trixie Ford	40
Oct. 9	Terri-Lynn Curlew	?
Oct. 11	Tammy Jones	33
Oct. 13	Dawn Janes	?
Oct. 15	Gerry Dobbin	71
Oct. 15	Gordon Oxford	75



Anniversaries:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Years</i>
Sept. 2	Rita & Gord Matchim	43
Sept. 25	Bonnie & Aubrey Janes	69
Sept. 30	Darlene & Edward Pinksen	?

HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department

will be doing their regular biannual flushing of the fire hydrants starting 9 a.m. on Sunday, October 4th. 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.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 4 - 10 is Fire Prevention Week. Check your smoke detectors, plan your escape route and clean your chimney! Should any resident wish to purchase Fire Safety Materials they are asked to contact any member of the Fire Department.

TAX COLLECTION

As of Friday September 21 , 2009 the town's collection rate for the current year (2009) stands at 89.23%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 90.65%.

Council would like to sincerely thank residents who have been diligent with the payment of their account.

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

DVD'S AVAILABLE

Anyone interested in purchasing a DVD of the Come Home Year celebration contact the town office.

RECREATION ELECTIONS

The recreation committee held its Election of Officers on Sunday, September 20, 2009 at 4:00 p.m. The members are as follows: Chairperson: Jackie Barrett, Co-Chairperson: Terri Lynn Nichols, Secretary: Vicki Reid, Treasurer: Paula Stagg, and Directors Terri Lynn Curlew, Jason Nichols, Ida Pinksen, and Rose Marie Young.

THANK YOU

The family of the late Doyle Janes would like to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to all who helped in anyway to alleviate the sorrow caused by his passing. Please know that every act of kindness was sincerely appreciated and will be forever remembered. God bless you all.

PASSED AWAY

Reidville town council and staff would like to express their sincere condolences to councillor Mary Reid and the Janes family who on September 10 lost Doyle Janes a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. He passed away at the Western Memorial Regional Hospital in his 89th year.

INTEGRATED COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY PLAN

The integrated community sustainability plan for the town of Reidville is now completed. Anyone wishing to have a look at this plan please drop by the council office.

INCINERATOR HOURS

A few people have been asking about the hours of operation for the incinerator site they are as follows:

- Monday - 1:00 - 5:00 pm
- Tuesday to Friday - 10:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Saturday - 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Sunday - Closed

A FIREMAN'S PRAYER

**When I am called to duty, God
wherever Flames may rage
Give me the strength to save some life
whatever Be its age
Help me embrace a little child
Before it is too late
Or save an older person from
The horror of that fate
Enable me to be alert and
Hear the weakest shout
And quickly and efficiently
To put the fire out
I want to fill my calling and
To give the best in me
to guard my every neighbor
And protect their property
And if according to your will
I have to lose my life
Please bless with your protecting hand
My children and my wife.**

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


