



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

September 2015

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HUNTING SEASON

Hunting Season is upon us. Here are a few safety tips:

If you like to walk in the woods, with or without the children, go hiking or berry picking be sure to check on local hunting season dates.

During hunting season it's important to be visible in the woods. There's no better way to be visible than by wearing bright orange - the color worn by almost all hunters.

It is important to be careful, but it is still safe to be in the woods if you think about where you're going and you prepare properly for your trip. The best form of preparation is in the clothing you wear and the places you choose to go.

COUNCIL MEETING

The regularly scheduled meeting for council set for October 12, 2015, will be rescheduled for October 5, 2015 due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

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.

If you have old tires that you want to dispose of, they can be dropped at any of the Garages in town.

Our town has always been noted as a beautiful, clean town....please do your part to ensure we remain this way.

GARBAGE

Just a reminder to residents to have garbage covered in the back of a truck when transporting to the landfill site.

SNOWCLEARING TENDERS

Council will be receiving Snowclearing tenders for the 2015-2016 snow clearing season for the Council Office, Community Hall, Fire Hall, Fire Hydrants and kennels/fire shed until Friday, October 9, 2015 at 2 p.m. Please have your tender in a sealed envelope and have it clearly marked "Snow Clearing Tenders." If you have any questions please call the town office. Thank you.

PERMITS

Please note the cost of all Permits:

Commercial (per building)	\$200
New House:	\$100
House Extension:	\$50
Accessory Buildings:	\$25
General Repairs:	\$10

There is No Charge for a General Repairs permit for seniors.

Most of these items will have to go to council for approvalplease pick up your application or print it off the town website and submit it for the second Monday of the month.

LOST AND FOUND

Found:

-Pair of prescription glasses found at mailbox site.

-A handle from a crank up trailer/camper.

-A small pink pull on hoodie (Olaf picture), green youth hoodie (dinosaur picture on hood), Grey full zip hoodie (picture of skeleton and a pink bunny)

-Toyota lug cover.

-Three different keys (house keys)

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 4 - 10 is Fire Prevention Week. Check your smoke detectors, plan your escape route and clean your chimney!

When it comes to smoke alarms, it's about "location, location, location".

The **key message** of this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign, October 4-10, is to install smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each separate sleeping area, and on every level of your home, including the basement. Larger homes may need more alarms.

NFPA is excited to share this important information so everyone better understands the life-saving value of home smoke alarms.

BACK TO SCHOOL

It is that time of year again, 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 teens) to please stand on the side of the road off the pavement while waiting for the school bus.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
Sept 15	Lorna Curtis	60
Sept 15	Chad Reid	30
Sept 19	Samantha Janes	19
Sept 21	Cheri-Lynn Cull	39
Sept 22	Lacey Stuckless	7
Sept 23	Elizabeth Rumbolt	91
Sept 24	Margaret Janes	87
Sept 24	Desirae Major	14
Sept 25	Malcolm Oxford	60
Sept 27	Viola Reid	86
Oct 2	Wilfred Curlew	63
Oct 3	Carolanne Dobbin	74
Oct 9	Terri-Lynn Curlew	41
Oct 11	Tammy Jones	39

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
Sept 25	Bonnie & Aubrey Janes	75
Oct 1	Bonnie & Shawn Janes	27

TAX COLLECTION

As of September 14th the town's collection rate for 2015 stands at 95.37%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 97.65%.

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2015) are eligible for an additional 5% discount. **Please advise the office if you will reach the age of 65 during the 2015 year so that your taxes can be adjusted to reflect the discount on your 2015 tax bill**

TAX SALE

There will be a tax sale auction for the property at 123 Reidville Road that originally belonged to Boone. This sale will be listed in the Western Star on October 3rd and October 10th with an auction date set for October 21st. Packages will be ready for pickup beginning on October 12th.

SOD FARMS/HAY FIELDS

It has come to council's attention that there have been some problems with ATV's and dirt bikes tearing up the hay fields. Please advise your youth that this is illegal and costing the owners of the fields a lot of money. If this problem continues the RCMP will have to be notified.

FIREMEN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their 37th Annual Firemen's Ball On October 17, 2015. The final details are still being ironed out and will be posted in the next newsletter.

HUMBER VALLEY AGRICULTURAL HOME HANDICRAFTS EXHIBITION

This event will take place on beginning at 6 p.m. on Friday, September 18 and all day Saturday, September 19, 2015, at the Hodder Memorial Complex.

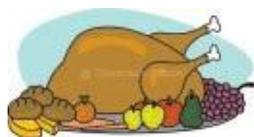
FIREMEN'S LIST

PLEASE NOTE: On a recent list of emergency numbers that was sent out to residents, the phone number listed for fireman Sam Butt is incorrect. The correct number is 635-5532.....please be sure to fix this on your list!

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

The council office will be closed on Monday, October 12 in observance of Thanksgiving. Council is sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

The Reidville council and staff would like to wish all residents a Happy Thanksgiving!!



RECREATION NEWS

Aqua-fit: This program will begin on Wednesday, September 30th from 8:30-9:30 a.m. there will be no charge for those people who are registered. Anyone that requires a ride or would like to car pool please call the town office by Tuesday. We will be running this program on Wednesday and Friday mornings if there is enough interest.

The Knitting Circle: This program will begin on Monday, September 14th at 1:30 p.m. This program was a huge success last year and we hope to see you all there again!



JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

At the Reidville Community Center, November 28th from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Crafts, Baked Goods, Knitted Goods, Bottled Goods, Epicure, Beach Glass, Jewelry, Specialty Tea, Beauty Products, Mummies, Rugs, Paintings, Party Lite, etc. Soup and sandwiches will be sold throughout the day as well.

WALKERS

The evening are getting shorter and Council is asking residents to be extra careful when walking, stay to the side of the road and wear reflective or light clothing.

Health benefits of Pumpkin

It is one of the very low calorie vegetables. 100 g fruit provides just 26 calories and contains no saturated fats or cholesterol; however, it is rich in dietary fiber, anti-oxidants, minerals, vitamins. The vegetable is one of the food items recommended by dieticians in cholesterol controlling and weight reduction programs.

Pumpkin is a storehouse of many anti-oxidant vitamins such as vitamin-A, vitamin-C and vitamin-E.

Zea-xanthin is a natural anti-oxidant which has UV (ultra-violet) rays filtering actions in the macula lutea in retina of the eyes. Thus, it may offer protection from "age-related macular disease" (ARMD) in the elderly.

The fruit is a good source of B-complex group of vitamins like folates, niacin, vitamin B-6 (pyridoxine), thiamin and pantothenic acid.

It is also rich source of minerals like copper, calcium, potassium and phosphorus.

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
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