

FIREMEN'S BALL

The 26th Annual Reidville Volunteer Fire Department's Firemen's Ball is scheduled to be held on Saturday, November 6th, 2004 beginning with a hot dinner at 7:30 p.m. and a dance with music by Jeff Chaulk to follow. Tickets are \$25.00 double or \$15.00 single. For tickets, please contact either:

Roy Pittman at 635-3044

Kerry Anstey at 635-5751

Dean Pittman at 635-2345 or drop by the council office from 9 am to 3 pm daily.

NOTE: This is a special year for the fire department - they are celebrating 30 years of serving our town! Congratulations!

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Fire Prevention Week was celebrated across the province from October 4-8. Our fire department members would like residents to check their smoke detectors and ensure that all are in good working order. It is also a good idea that when the clocks go back this month, to change the batteries on your smoke detector at the same time...

Enclosed with the newsletter is an updated emergency phone number list. Please place it in a safe place and make sure that all children in the home know how to report an emergency situation to the proper authority.

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank residents for their cooperation and support in the 30 years that they have been serving the town.

GARBAGE DAY ONE DAY CHANGE

PLEASE NOTE: GARBAGE DAY ORIGINALLY SET FOR WEDNESDAY, **NOVEMBER 10TH** WILL BE HELD ON **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH** DUE TO OUT OF TOWN TRAINING FOR STAFF.

This will be a one time change only. Council apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

White Shopping Bags/Tying Up Garbage

Bags: Residents are asked to place all garbage in large garbage bags at their regular garbage stop. Small white shopping bags are not acceptable. Also some residents fail to tie up their bags - please note that this creates a delay for our sanitation worker...if every person decided not to tie up their bag, it would take a lot longer than one day to provide this service to residents.

FOOD BANK...FOOD DRIVE

It is almost that time again. Please keep an eye out for the annual Food Bank Food Drive which will take place around mid-November..

Ink Cartridges: do you have any ink cartridges in your home from your computer or old cell phones? Did you know that by turning in any old cartridges or cells to the Deer Lake Food Bank, they will receive \$2.50 per item? For more information, please contact either Sam King or Carson Young.

SNOW CLEARING TENDERS

The town will be receiving snow clearing tenders for the 2003-2004 winter season. This tender is for the fire hall, council office, kennels and community hall lots only. All tenders are to be received in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Snow Clearing Tenders". All tenders are to be received at the council office by Wednesday, November 3rd at 2 pm. The successful tender will be notified on or before Friday, November 5th.

SANDY'S LOOKOUT

Once again, council would like to apologize for the delay on this project. Please watch for fundraising by the Recreation and/or Fire Department on behalf of this project throughout the winter. This item will be one of the first on the agenda come spring break.

Council would like to thank residents for their patience and looks forward to your support throughout the winter and spring.

CULVERTS

Residents are reminded that if placing a culvert in their driveway that the culvert size - according to town regulations - has to be at least 18 inches to ensure proper drainage. Also a reminder: ditches are council property - please do not fill-in or block ditches. Thank you.

HALLOWEEN

Teenage Dance:

A dance for ages 12 and up will be held at the Community Hall on Friday, October 29th from 8:30-11:30 pm. Doors to open about 8:15 pm.

Pre-schoolers-Age 11

Afternoon Halloween party

A Halloween party from 2-4 pm is scheduled to be held at the Community Hall on Saturday, October 30th. All of age are welcome to attend.

For more information on either event, please contact Michelle Martin at 635-3244 or Lisarae Curlew at 635-4219.

LOST AND FOUND BUY AND SELL

FOUND:

- one house key on pink band

LOST:

- one generator
- one axe

FOR SALE

- Lexmark Color printer. Cartridges included...never used - in original packaging. Contact 635-5257.
- Phase Converter: this electrical item turns single phase power to 3 phase power. For more information, please contact the council office
- Window: a new window has been placed in the council office. Any persons wishing to purchase the old one are asked to place their bid in a sealed envelop and deliver it to the council office by Nov 3rd at 2 pm.

STORY TIME FOR PRESCHOOLERS

Beginning Tuesday, October 26, 2004 the Reidville Recreation Committee will be holding "Story time" at the library located upstairs in the Community Hall. This event will run from 2-3 pm. For more information, please contact Bonnie Reid at 635-3462 or Tanya Stuckless at 635-5191.

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

...if you have something interesting about any youth from Reidville, please contact the council office so we can share the good news.

FUN DARTS

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc.

will be holding regular Friday night fun darts in the basement of the Community Hall beginning this Friday, October 22nd.

JOB OPPORTUNITY: Any person interested in bar tending for this event, please contact Fabian Carroll or Patsy Pittman.

SKATING

Family skating in cooperation with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will begin on Sunday, October 10th from 7-8 pm. Admission is \$2.00 per person. For more information, please contact any member of the Volunteer Fire Department.

NEW YEARS BALL

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. will be holding its annual New Years Ball again this year. There will be bar specials, spot dances and a \$25.00 gift certificate for gas as a door prize. Tickets are \$15.00 double or \$10.00 single and can be picked up from Bonnie Reid at 635-3462, Patsy Pittman at 635-3044, Fabian Carroll at 635-2861 or at the council office during regular business hours.

Music by DJ duo - Jim and Ruby.

BOXING DAY SOCIAL

The Recreation Committee's annual Boxing

Day event at the Community Hall is set to go ahead again this year. As before, all beer will go for cost: \$1.65.

TABLES AND CHAIRS

The Recreation Committee have received a number of requests for the borrowing of the hall's tables and/or chairs. Any interested persons are to note that only wooden tables and chairs are available - just contact a member of the recreation committee or the council office at your convenience.

ODD JOB SQUAD

The Recreation Committee is looking for any youth between ages 16-18 to do odd jobs in community hall. If this is something you are interested in, just contact one of the recreation members:

Don Stuckless, Patsy Pittman, Bonnie Reid, Michelle Martin, Roy Pittman, Fabian Carroll and new recreation members: Lisarae Curlew and Crystal Carroll.

AGM & ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Reidville Recreation Committee will be holding their AGM sometime in the near future. Please keep eye out for the date.

PRIZE BINGO

The next Prize Bingo beheld by the Reidville Recreation Committee and the

Volunteer Fire Department will be held on Tuesday, November 23rd. Prizes will consist of Turkeys, Hams and Cakes. All are welcome to attend.

TAX COLLECTION

As of Wednesday, October 20th, tax collection for the current year stands at 88.63% - this is down a half of a percentage from the same period last year. Residents with accounts paid in full - thank you for your diligence. Residents with account balances, please note that **any agreements** you have made with the office have to be honored to prevent further action.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Doctor on Call.....1-800-261-0741
F i r e
Alarm.....635-5600
RCMP.....635-2173
Ambulance.....635-3020
Newfoundland Power.....1-800-474-5711
C o u n c i l
Office.....635-5232