

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

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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

A warm welcome to Nora Kiesewetter who is a foreign exchange student all the way from Hamburg Germany. Nora, we hope you enjoy your time here with your host family, Kimberly and Rod Reid.

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 14th. 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.

BINGO

The Reidville Recreation Committee along with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their monthly prize bingo on **Tuesday October 23, 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.

FIREMAN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their annual fireman's ball on Saturday, November 10, 2007. For more information or tickets, please contact either member of the fire department.

BOIL ORDER ADVISORY

The boil order from September 18, 2007 has now been lifted.

Residents in the area of Bonne Bay Road are advised that the precautionary boil order is still in affect. We are working on it and we hope to have this issue rectified as soon as possible.

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.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 7 - 13 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

DSPECTAE TWELCOME

WELLNESS FOR LIFE

Weekly sessions will be resuming every Wednesday at the Community Hall starting on October 10, 2007. If you require more information please feel free to contact Irene Reid @ 635-

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REIDVILLE RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Reidville Recreation Committee is looking for members. Anyone interested is asked to contact the council office or any member of the Recreation Committee.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Reidville Economic Development Committee is still looking for 3 members. If any resident is interested or has any questions please contact the council office.

SPECIAL GREETINGS!

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
Oct. 7	Ed Lozier	70
Oct.11	Tammy Jones	M
Oct. 15	Gordon Oxford	1,1,1
	Gerry Dobbin	09
Oct. 22	Helen Reid	?
Oct. 24	Darlene Pittman	?
Oct. 27	Perry Martin Jr.	16
Oct. 30	Russell Reid	?
Nov. 2	David Reid	?
	Guy Reid	?
Nov. 3	Connie Reid	36
	Bonnie Reid	42
Nov. 5	Linda Reid	?
Nov. 6	Roland Rumbolt	?

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Yrs
Oct. 12	Tammy & Alvin Fudge	e 8
Oct. 27	Lorna & Bibbs Curtis	34

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, the community hall break in and most recent, damage to the area near the mailbox site). These acts have been reported to the RCMP, however if any residents has any information on any of these 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.....

COMMUNITY WATCH

Over the past couple of months there has been an extreme case of vandalism in our town.
Council is seeking the help of the residents to help put a stop to this. Council are asking for volunteers to partake in a Community Watch. Anyone interested or willing to give their time to patrol our town are asked to please contact the council office to have your name put on a patrol list.

TOWN INSPECTION

Members of council have completed their walk about of the town. Any resident with unsightly wrecked vehicles will be notified. The council has acquired of towing services in order to clean up an wrecked vehicles. Council will be providing this service through a cost sharing program. Cost to the public will be \$15.00 per vehicle. Anyone interested is using this service may do so by contacting the office and having your name added to a list. Council is hoping that this program will help clean up our town and help in our running for the next Tidy Towns!

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.

HALLOWEEN

Halloween is just around the corner. Residents are asked to be extra

cautious
when
driving
during this
time. All the
trick-or-



treaters tend to be a little excited and sometimes fail to look when crossing the road. Let make sure all our youth are safe and take a little extra time and slow down.

BOXING DAY DANCE

Again this year, the Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. will be holding the annual Boxing Day Dance at the Community Hall. Admission is \$5.00 per person. DJ for the evening will be Geoff Chaulk. All those of legal drinking age are welcome.

NEW YEARS PARTY



Ring in the New
Year at the Reidville Community
Hall! The Reidville Recreation
Committee Inc. will be holding their
annual New Year's Ball again this
year. Tickets are \$20.00 double or
\$10.00 single. Door Prize to be
drawn and various prizes will be
given out throughout the night. DJ
for the event is Cameron Patey. For
tickets, please contact:

Bonnie Reid 635-3462 Terri-Lynn Curlew 635-7961 Donna Rumbolt 635-3637

TAX COLLECTION

As of September 27, 2007, the town's collection rate for 2007 stands at 90.03%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is down from 91.51%.



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!

BARTENDERS & CLEANERS NEEDED

The Reidville Recreation Committee is looking for anyone intersted in Bartending at events and for indiviuals to clean the hall. Anyone intersted is asked to contact Bonnie Reid @ 635-3462.

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.

RESIDENTS IMPUT

With a New Year comes a new look. Council is looking for any imput from residents in making changes or by adding something new to the newsletter and website. If you have any ideas please contact the council office.

SPEEDING

There has been many reports to the council office regarding speeding on the bi-roads. RCMP patrol in the area has been increased and council wishes to remind residents of the children in these areas.

CITIZENSHIP WEEK

October 15 - 21 is Citizenship Week. This year we celebrate the 60th anniversary of Canadian citizenship. Did you know that prior to 1947 people living in this country were considered British subjects? The passage of the Citizenship Act showed that Canada was now it's own country, and ready to become a key player on the world stage. This year, we will reflect on how far Canada has come in these past 60 years—and what Canadian Citizenship means to us.

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