



**TOWN OF REIDVILLE**

**Community Newsletter**

**October 2014**

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**Rick Burden**  
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**Sam Butt**

**BONFIRE**

The town will be hosting a bonfire on Friday, November 7, 2014, beginning around 7 p.m. behind the community ball field. There will be wieners, marshmallows and beverages provided...just bring your roasting sticks and chairs if you have them! Hope to see you all there!!!!

**RECREATION NEWS**

**Zumba:** This program will be held on Monday and Thursday evening's beginning at 7 p.m. There will be a \$3 charge per night.

**Aqua-fit:** The recreation director will be attending Aqua-fit at the Hodder Memorial Complex on Wednesday and Friday mornings from 8:30-9:30 a.m. there will be no charge for Reidville residents who are registered. Anyone that requires a ride or would like to car pool please call the town office.

**The Knitting Circle:** This program runs every Monday at 1:30 p.m. This program has become a huge success!

**Yoga:** This program will be held on Wednesday evening's beginning at 7 p.m. There will be a \$3 charge per night.

**MOBILE STORE**

The town is currently looking at allowing a Mobile Store to be put in the town. We are looking for people's opinions, input, questions, etc. Please call the town office during regular business hours.

**TREE LIGHTING!**

The Sixth Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held this year on Friday, December 5, 2014, beginning at 7:00 p.m. There will be hot chocolate, timbits and lots of singing!!!!

**TAX SALE!**

There will be a tax sale auction for the property at 123 Reidville Road that originally belonged to a Mr. Boone. This sale will be listed in the Western Star in the next few weeks. All information will be listed at that time!

**PERMITS**

Commercial (per building)	\$200.00
New House:	\$100.00
House Extension:	\$50.00
Accessory Buildings:	\$25.00
General Repairs:	\$10.00

There is No Charge for a General Repairs permit for seniors. Most of these items will have to go to council for approval....please pick up your application or print it off the town website and submit it for the second Monday of the month. **Please Note:** All taxes for prior years must be paid in full before a permit will be issued.

**HAPPY HALLOWEEN**

The town of Reidville Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Halloween!

**CHRISTMAS PARADE!**

The Reidville Fire Department has tentatively set the date for the Christmas Parade for December 13<sup>th</sup>! Last year was a great success and this year we are hoping it can be even better! Put on your thinking caps and start thinking of Christmas floats ideas!

**BOXING NIGHT DANCE/ NEW YEARS BALL!**

The town will be holding a Boxing Night Dance and a New Years Ball again this year. The details are being worked out and the information will be in the next newsletter.

**LANDFILL SITE HOURS OF OPERATION**

A few people have inquired about the hours of operation for the landfill site they are as follows: Monday to Saturday from 10 am – 5 pm, Sunday – Closed!

**SERVICES AVAILABLE**

**COPIES**

Copies are available at the council office for \$.25 each.

**FAXES**

Faxes are able to be sent and received. Cost: \$2.00 send (long distance)  
\$1.00 send (local)  
\$1.00 receive from anywhere (four pages or less. If over four pages, then only \$.25 per page)

**LAMINATIONS**

C \$2.00 for 8 1/2" X 11"  
C \$1.50 for 5" X 7" or smaller

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Birthdays:**

Date	Name	Age
Oct 14	Beatrice Nichols	72
Oct 15	Gordon Oxford	80
Oct 15	Gerry Dobbin	76
Oct 19	Landon Budgell	5
Oct 21	Shania Billings	19
Oct 21	Edward Pittman	13
Oct 22	Helen Reid	54
Oct 24	Darlene Pittman	?
Oct 24	Fred Reid	52
Oct 26	Sheldon Reid	43
Oct 28	Marion Rumbolt	?
Oct 29	Jackie Barrett	66
Oct 29	Tamara Janes	21
Oct 30	Russell Reid	75
Oct 30	Jason Nichols	40
Oct 30	Daniel Curtis	5
Nov 2	Guy Reid	62
Nov 3	Bonnie Reid	49
Nov 3	Connie Reid	43
Nov 4	Carl Reid	58
Nov 5	Linda Reid	?
Nov 6	Roland Rumbolt	?
Nov 6	Calvin Hiscock	60

**Anniversaries:**

Date	Name	Years
Oct 14	Tammy & Alvin Fudge	14
Oct 16	Shannon & Mark Cooke	4
Oct 20	Glenda & Eric Reid	42
Oct 20	Barbara & Kerry Anstey	30
Oct 27	Lorna & Bibbs Curtis	42
Nov 17	Althea & Otto Reid	?
Nov 18	Ida & Stan Pinksen	48

**TAX COLLECTION**

As of October 20 the town's collection rate for 2014 stands at 97.72%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 96.61%.

Council would like to sincerely thank residents who have been diligent with the payment of their account. The water shutoff's that were supposed to be done last Friday had to be put off due to scheduling issues. **Please be aware:** If you received a water shutoff notice the shutoff will occur on Friday, October 24 @ 2 p.m.

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2014) are eligible for an additional 5% discount. **Please advise the office if you will reach the age of 65 during the 2014 year so that your taxes can be adjusted to reflect the discount on your 2014 tax bill.**

**WRECKS/PROPERTIES**

There are still a few wrecks throughout town that need to be covered or removed!!! Please be more respectful of your neighbors. Council would like for residents to take pride in their property and 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.

**SNOW CLEARING CONTRACT**

Council will be receiving Snow clearing tenders for the 2014-2015 snow clearing season for the Council Office, Community Hall, Fire Hall, Fire Hydrants and Bus Shelters until Friday, October 31, 2014 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.

**HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

**JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS!**

At the Reidville Community Center, November 29<sup>th</sup> from 11a.m. to 4p.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.

**FIREMEN'S BALL**

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Firemen's Ball on November 1<sup>st</sup> starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Reidville Community Hall. There will be a hot dinner followed by a dance. The tickets will be \$30.00 double or \$15.00 single. For more information or tickets to this wonderful event please call any member of the fire department.

**WALKING!**

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.

**WATER HOOKUPS**

The town of Reidville would like to advise residents that water hookups in the community will only be done between April and October. This is a common practice among municipalities to prevent damages and the freezing of waterlines.

**HALLOWEEN JOKE!**

One dark night two men were walking home after a party and decided to take a shortcut through the cemetery just for laughs.

Right in the middle of the cemetery they were startled by a tap-tap-tapping noise coming from the misty shadows.

Trembling with fear, they found an old man with a hammer and chisel, chipping away at one of the headstones.

"Holy cow, Mister," one of them said after catching his breath,

"You scared us half to death we thought you were a ghost! What are you doing working here so late at night?"

"Those fools!" the old man grumbled. "They misspelled my name!"

**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