

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

October 2017

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Congratulations to our newly elected councillors - Roger Barrett, Clifford Reid, David Reid, Russell Reid and Gerald Rumbolt. At the October 2nd meeting Roger Barrett was acclaimed as Mayor and David Reid was acclaimed as Deputy Mayor. Council and Staff look forward to serving the community together over the next four years.

THANK YOU!

Mary, Rowena, Douglas and families would like to say a sincere thank you to everyone who visited, brought food, cards, phone calls, donations and any other kindness during the passing of our Mom Margaret Janes and then just seven weeks later the passing of our sister Sheila McDonald. It was very comforting knowing that we had such wonderful support during our very difficult time. Our thank you is a little late coming but you were never forgotten.

Irene Curlew and Family would like to send out sincere thanks to all the residents of Reidville who visited, sent messages, brought food/cards/flowers and provided support during the passing of Ray.

Carson and Rose Marie Young would like to send out a huge thank you to everyone who helped out in any way with the fundraising efforts for the new van.

FIREMAN'S BALL

Mark your calendars! The date for the firemen's ball has been set for October 21, 2017. The meal will consist of Hot Turkey Dinner and Trifle Dessert. The price for this event is \$20 per plate. Please contact any member of the Fire Department for tickets!

FIBER OP

Fiber Op will be offered to a portion of Reidville. If you wish to pre-register to avail of this service please call Wireless World at 635-4555.

The town has been working diligently to have this service offered to all of Reidville and will keep residents informed of any new information as it becomes available.





At the Reidville Community Center, November 25th from 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Crafts, Baked Goods, Knitted Goods, Bottled Goods, Cakes, Beauty Products, Kids Toys, Fudge etc. Soup and sandwiches will be sold throughout the day as well.

MEMORIAL BENCHES

The trail system is moving right along and a couple members of council have been asked about the possibility of residents placing memorial benches along the way. If you are interested in purchasing a memorial bench please contact the office.

RECREATION EVENTS

Knitting Circle: The knitting circle will be held on Monday afternoon's beginning at 1:30.

Zumba: Tammy Hutchings will be offering Zumba at the Community Hall on Monday and Wednesday evening's beginning at 7 pm.

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Elite Kinetics Fitness class with Heidi will be held on Tuesday afternoon from 2:45-3:45 pm.

Aquafit: This program is offered Monday and Friday mornings at the Deer Lake Recreation Facility and will be paid for any residents of Reidville who register with the town office.

Yoga: Carmelita Morgan will be offering Yoga at the Community Hall beginning on Thursday evenings 6:45.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Healthy Living: A program for you at the Community Hall, starting on Monday, November 1st from 1-3 pm running until December 13th. Time for yourself with light exercise, movement, health discussion and ending with quiet meditation. There will be no cost for this program and is open to all Reidville residents and surrounding areas. If you are interested please call Irene Laing Reid at 635-5288 or the town office at 635-5232.

Healthy Eating Program: A date has not been set but this program will start in the fall. Please keep an eye on the Facebook page and the bulletin boards for updates.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

There will be a Halloween Party for children/youth at the community hall on Sunday, October 29th from 2-4 pm. There will be prizes for the best costume, games, snacks and cupcake decorating.

TREE LIGHTING

The ninth Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held this year on Friday, December 1, 2017, beginning at 7:00 p.m. There will be hot chocolate, timbits and maybe a surprise visit from Santa!

SPECIAL EVENTS

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Birthdays: Date Name Oct 11 Tammy Jones Oct 12 Dawn Matchim Oct 13 Ruby Reid Oct 14 **Beatrice** Nichols *Oct* 15 Gordon Oxford Oct 15 Gerry Dobbin Oct 16 Doreen Blouin Landon Budgell Oct 19 *Oct 22* Helen Reid Oct 24 Darlene Pittman Fred Reid Oct 24 Oct 26 Sheldon Reid Perry Martin Jr. Oct 27 Oct 29 Jackie Barrett Oct 29 Tamara Janes Oct 30 Russell Reid Oct 30 Jason Nichols Oct 30 Daniel Curtis Oct 30 **Emily Curlew** Guy Reid Nov 2 Nov 3 **Bonnie Reid** Connie Reid Nov 3 Nov 4 Carl Reid Nov 5 Linda Reid Calvin Hiscock Nov 6

Anniversaries:

Date Name	Years
Oct 14 Tammy & Alvin Fudge	17
Oct 16 Shannon & Mark Cooke	7
Oct 20 Glenda & Eric Reid	45
Oct 20 Barbara & Kerry Anstey	33
Oct 27 Lorna & Bibbs Curtis	<i>45</i>

HALLOWEEN

The town of Reidville Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Halloween! Please note some helpful tips below: Motorists:

• Slow down in residential neighborhoods and obey all traffic laws.

• Exercise extreme caution when driving a vehicle. Be on the alert for excited youngsters darting out in traffic whose vision may be obscured by masks.

• Enter and exit driveways with caution.

• If you are driving children around the neighborhood, make sure they enter and exit the car on the curbside.

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.

CANDY/TREATS

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department would like to inform residents that should you have any candy or chips left after Halloween they are accepting these items to use for the Santa Claus Parade. This is a great opportunity to clean out and make room for the Christmas Goodies!!! Please call any member of the fire department and they will gladly pick it up or drop it off at the town office.

WRECKS/UNTIDY PROPERTIES

If you have a wreck in your yard that you want to dispose of please call the town office to have it registered...this will be a free service.

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.

BOXING NIGHT/NEW YEARS

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.

BONFIRE NIGHT!

There will be a Community Bonfire on Saturday, November 4, 2017, beginning at 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!!!! *If the weather does not cooperate then the event will be held on Friday, November 3rd. A post will be made on the Town's Facebook page if there is a change.

SPEEDING

Reminder for those speeding through town, we have a 50-km/hr speed zone. We will be asking the RCMP to make more frequent visits to the area.

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.

CHRISTMAS PARADE



The Reidville Fire Department has set the date for the Christmas Parade for December 16th beginning at 1 pm! 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 float ideas!

CEEP

The town has received word that there **may** be some funding under the Community Enhancement Employment Program and is taking names of people who need hours to qualify for Employment Insurance. The requirements of this program are listed below:

- These positions pay minimum wage.

- All positions are open to both men and woman.

- Workers can be employed for up to 400 hours.

- Individuals who require more than 400 hours of project employment in order to obtain EI benefits are not eligible to participate.

- Individuals must qualify for EI by the end of the Project. For further information regarding EI eligibility call Service Canada.

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	
Fax:	635-4498