



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

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CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN

38 MORE SLEEPS!!!!

SANTA CLAUS PARADE



Santa is coming to town..... On **S a t u r d a y , December 17th** starting at 2:00 p.m.

the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their annual Santa Claus Parade. This event is a great time to bring family and friends together both to create floats, watch the parade and gather with Santa and residents at the Community Hall afterwards.

Please register your float with the town office or a member of the fire department so we can be sure that we have enough interest to make this another memorable year!!! If there is not enough interest this event may have to be cancelled.

So mark your calendar and see you on December 17th!

COMMUNITY HALL EVENTS

Tree Lighting Ceremony: The Third Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held this year on Friday, December 2, 2011, beginning at 7:00 p.m. There will be hot chocolate, timbits and lots of singing!!!!



Annual Boxing Night Dance - The Boxing Night Dance at the community hall will go ahead again this year. There will be a \$5.00 charge at the door with the dance beginning at 9:00 p.m. There will be bar specials all night and the D. J will be Cameron Patey.

New Years Eve Ball - A New Years Eve Ball is being planned for the community hall again this year. This event will start at 9:00 p.m. with D. J. Cameron Patey and "wings and things" will be served just after midnight. There will be party favors and a balloon drop to bring in the New Year! Tickets for this event will be \$30 double or \$15 single and will be available next week. Please contact the town office or a member of council for tickets.

CHRISTMAS SPARKLE

The town will be holding its seventh annual Christmas Sparkle Competition over the holidays. Just turn on your lights on December 21st. Judges will be circulating around town starting at 7:00 pm. Awards will be presented for first, second and third place. Cash awards will be presented for first (\$50) and second

place (\$25). Third place will receive a certificate and an honorable mention. First and Second place winners are only eligible to win every second year - therefore our first and second place winners from 2010 are not eligible to win for 2011 - but please, we still would like to see your lovely display.

We lit up our little town in a big way last year so everyone - let's spread that Holiday Cheer! Good Luck!

FIREMEN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department would like to send out a thank you to everyone who supported them by attending the Firemen's Ball. Congratulations to Dean Pittman who was voted by his fellow members as Fireman of the Year!

FOOD DRIVE

A big THANK YOU goes out to the residents of Reidville for their generosity to the Annual Food Drive that was held on October 29, 2011!

Another big THANK YOU goes out to the volunteers Carson and Rose Marie Young, Roger Barrett, Cathy Moores and students Ashley Reid, Andrew Elms and Scott and Kayne Normore.

They are a small group with big hearts and it's because of your drive and commitment that made yet another year's food drive a great success.

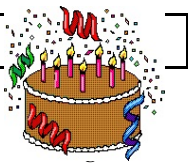
TICKETS

Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be selling tickets on a beautiful Homemade Quilt, donated by Louise Pittman. The cost of these tickets are \$1.00 each and will be drawn at the Reidville Community Hall after the Christmas Parade. For tickets contact any member of the fire department.

CANDY DONATION

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department would like to inform residents that should you have any candy or chips left from Halloween they are accepting these items to use for the Santa Claus Parade. Please call any member of the fire department and they will gladly pick it up or drop it off at the town office.

SPECIAL GREETINGS



Birthdays:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	
Oct 16	Doreen Blouin	55
Nov 4	Carl Reid	55
Nov 19	Rikki Burden	9
Nov 19	Jason Jones	38
Nov 19	Paul Reid	50
Nov 20	Brian Nolan	58
Nov 22	Devin Hiscock	20
Nov 24	Jim Bradley	45
Nov 25	Andrew Guy	21
Nov 26	Breannah Ford	15
Nov 27	Paula Stagg	33
Nov 28	Ida Pinksen	63
Dec 1	Kristen King	16
Dec 1	Glenda Garnier	?
Dec 1	Hilda Rumboldt	?
Dec 4	Darlene Pinksen	50
Dec 4	Dean Pittman	50
Dec 9	Nancy Anstey	37

Anniversaries:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Years</i>
Nov 17	Althea & Otto Reid	?
Nov 18	Ida & Stan Pinksen	45
Dec 3	Minnie & Dave Reid	?
Dec 7	Mary & Larry Reid	40
Dec 7	Cora & Don Reid	40

Engagements:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>
May 21	Megan Thompson & Roy Pittman

TAX COLLECTION



As of November 14, 2011, the town's collection rate for 2011 stands at 99.78%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 99.64%

Council would like to sincerely thank residents who have been diligent with the payment of their account

To those residents in arrears and not honoring agreements, PLEASE NOTE: that Notices will be sent out next week and action will be taken the following week if arrangements are not made with the office!

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2010) are eligible for an additional 5% discount.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

During the Holiday, the office will be closed from 3:00 p.m. December 16th and reopen at 9:00 a.m. January 2th. If

you would like to make a payment during the holidays, please either drop it in the mail to: Town of Reidville, 2 Community Square, Reidville A8A 2V7 or contact the clerk at home at 635-4366.

If you have an emergency during the holidays, please do not hesitate to contact one of your councillors:

Mayor Helen Reid	635-5612
Deputy Mayor David Reid	635-3272
Councillor Roger Barrett	635-7728
Councillor Glenda Garnier	635-5373
Councillor Russell Reid	635-3347

WALKING TRAIL

Council would like owners of horses to please pay extra care when walking their animals along the walking trail. Some residents have noticed horse droppings all over the trail which makes using it very inconvenient. Please clean up behind your animal to ensure our town remains a pleasant place to stroll. Thank you to the horse owners who have already been diligent in this matter.

HEALTH TIP

(Health Day News)-- A healthy body image can help a child grow into a healthy, confident adult. And parents play a big role in fostering their child's self-esteem.

The womenshealth.gov website offers these suggestions for boosting your child's self-image:

Discuss with your child the fact that weight gain, especially during puberty, can be a normal and healthy part of development.

Don't speak negatively about weight, food, body shape and size.

Encourage your child to make personal decisions about food, but offer a variety of healthy options.

Praise and compliment your child for things he or she has accomplished.

Limit your child's television time, and when it is on, watch together to encourage discussion about images in the media.

Be active in your child's school, promoting policies that protect against discrimination, bullying and a healthy approach toward weight.

Communicate openly with your child.

CERVICAL SCREENING INITIATIVE

On Thursday, December 8, 2011, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Community Hall, Tammy Angel will be doing a presentation on the Cervical Screening Initiative.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Congratulations on your bundle of joy! The town welcomes!!

Rylee Jayden born on October 6, 2011. Daughter of Deanna and Michelle Medeiros!!!

BARKING DOGS!!!!

There have been a few reports brought to the office concerning dogs barking all day and sometimes all night. Even though the noise band runs from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. council asks that you please be more considerate of your neighbors....some of them work nights or have small children that nap during the day.

WALKERS!

There have recently been some concerns brought to the office about people walking after dark with no reflectors. This can be extremely dangerous!!!! Council is asking residents to be extra careful when walking, stay to the side of the road and wear reflective or light clothing

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