



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

November 2013

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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department

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FIREMEN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their 35th Annual Firemen's Ball on Saturday, November 16, 2013, 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.

TAX COLLECTION

Tax collection rate for 2013 stands at 98.75%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 98.10% as of November 4, 2013.

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 2013 year so that your taxes can be adjusted to reflect the discount on your 2013 tax bill.**

CANDY/TREATS

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. 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.

HALLOWEEN/BONFIRE NIGHT

The town would like to thank Terri Lynn Curlew for hosting the Halloween Party for youth and the Fire Department for hosting Bonfire night. Both these events were well attended and were lots of fun!! Thanks also to the residents who came out to volunteer and for the residents who came to enjoy these events!!

SANTA CLAUSE PARADE



Santa is coming to town..... On

Saturday, December 14th 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.

Due to the decrease in participation over the past couple of years **all floats MUST be registered by December 7th, by contacting any member of the fire department.** If there is not enough interest by this date then there will be no choice but to cancel this event. So join in and keep the tradition going..... So mark your calendar and see you on December 14th!

CEEP PROGRAM

The town has received funding under the Community Enhancement Employment Program and is seeking 2 to 4 workers (depending on the number of hours a person requires to qualify for EI) to work on the trail system. We are hoping to have this program start on Monday, November 25th and would ask that anyone that is qualified and interested have resumes into the town office by Wednesday, November 20th.

- 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.

For more information call the town office.

WALKING/KEEP FIT

Walking/Keep fit Program which includes exercises and walking space will take place at the community hall Mondays and Thursdays from 7:00-9:00 pm. There will be no charge for this program and everyone is welcome. Don't forget your indoor sneaker

SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
Nov 19	Rikki Burden	11
Nov 19	Jason Jones	40
Nov 19	Paul Reid	52
Nov 20	Brian Nolan	60
Nov 20	Ivy Murphy	3
Nov 21	Ryan Caravan	1
Nov 24	Jim Bradley	47
Nov 25	Andrew Guy	23
Nov 26	Brianna Ford	17
Nov 27	Paula Stagg	35
Nov 28	Ida Pinksen	65
Nov 30	Janet Butt	52
Dec 1	Hilda Rumbolt	?
Dec 1	Glenda Garnier	?
Dec 1	Kristen King	18
Dec 4	Dean Pittman	52
Dec 9	Nancy Anstey	39

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
Nov 17	Althea & Otto Reid	?
Nov 18	Ida & Stan Pinksen	47
Dec 3	Minnie & David Reid	?

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The town of Reidville is currently seeking an individual to work on a 52 week Job Creation Partnership Project. This position will be for a Recreation Director.

Applicants for this position must currently be receiving or had been in receipt of Employment Insurance within the last two years to qualify. This is a Service Canada top-up program. A job description will be available at the town office on Thursday, November 14th. If you have any other questions please call the town office at 635-5232. Please drop your resume off at the office, send it to the address above, fax it to 635-4498 or email it to townofreidville@nf.aibn.com.

WALKERS

It's that time of year again when the dark closes in early and it is hard to see walkers!!! If you are walking after dark please wear reflective clothing and beware of vehicles!

DECORATING/RENTALS

Bonnie Reid has table cloths, chair covers, table skirts and other

decorating materials for rent. She is also available to decorate for any event. If you have any questions please call her at 635-3462 or 636-8967.

DECEMBER EVENTS

Please keep your eye on the bulletin boards and in the December Newsletter for information on upcoming events such as the Tree Lighting, the Boxing Night dance and the New Years Eve Ball.

EXERCISE PROGRAM

The basement of the community hall will be open Monday to Wednesday from 6-7:30 p.m. and Thursday from 5-7 p.m. for anyone interested in exercising. There are some pieces of equipment, free weights, exercise balls, videos, etc. All are welcome!!!

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

During the Holiday, the office will be closed from 3:00 p.m. December 20th and reopen at 9:00 a.m. January 6th. 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 Roger Barrett: 635-7728
Deputy Mayor David Reid 635-3272
Councillor Gerald Rumbolt 635-3619
Councillor Glenda Garnier 635-5373
Councillor Russell Reid 635-3347

THANKS

Barb would like to send out a big thanks to family and friends for their thoughts, cards, prayers, phone calls, etc after her procedure. She is doing very well!

HEALTH TIP

Adequate sleep is absolutely essential to maintain a healthy body because that is when the body rebuilds itself.

During the night, human growth hormone triggers proteins throughout the body to build new cells and repair any damage. It is only released during sleep which is why getting the proper amount of sleep is so important.

Foods that contain tryptophan will help you get a good night's sleep. Good sources are: bananas, dates, figs, nut butters, tuna, turkey, and wholegrain crackers.

Some herbs that help relieve insomnia are: basil, chamomile, dill, kava, and marjoram.

GARBAGE SCHEDULE

There will be a **change** in the garbage schedule over the holidays. Garbage will be collected on Tuesday, December 24th and on Tuesday, December 31st during Christmas week.

JOKE

A new pastor was visiting the homes of his parishioners.

At one house it seemed obvious that someone was at home, but no answer came to his repeated knocks at the door. Therefore, he took out a card and wrote "Revelation 3:20" on the back of it and stuck it in the door.

When the offering was processed the following Sunday, he found that his card had been returned. Added to it was this cryptic message, Genesis 3:10."

Reaching for his Bible to check out the citation, he broke up in gales of laughter.

Revelation 3:20 begins "Behold, I stand at the door and knock." Genesis 3:10 reads, "I heard your voice in the garden and I was afraid, for I was naked."

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