

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

November 2015

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<u>Reidville Volunteer Fire</u> <u>Department</u>

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BONFIRE

Thank you to everyone who came out to enjoy the Bonfire! Thanks to the fire department members that came out to oversee the fire. It was a great turnout and a lot of fun!

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.

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!

HOLIDAY HOURS

During the Holiday, the office will be closed from 3:00 p.m. December 18th and reopen at 9:00 a.m. January 4th. 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:635-7728Deputy Mayor David Reid635-3272Councillor Gerald Rumbolt635-3619Councillor Glenda Garnier635-5373Councillor Russell Reid635-3347

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Congratulations to our Mayor Roger Barrett who was voted in as the new Western Director of the Municipalities Newfoundland and Labrador board of directors at the annual convention in Gander earlier this month!

LOST AND FOUND

Found:

-Pair of prescription glasses found at mailbox site.

-A handle from a crank up trailer/camper.

-A small pink pull on hoodie (Olaf picture), green youth hoodie (dinosaur picture on hood), Grey full zip hoodie (picture of skeleton and a pink bunny)

-Toyota lug cover.

-Three different keys (house keys)

CHRISTMAS PARADE



The Reidville Fire Department has set the date for the Christmas Parade for December 12th! 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!

BOXING NIGHT DANCE /NEW YEARS EVE BALL

Tree Lighting Ceremony: The sixth Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held this year on Friday, December 4, 2015, 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 Ball - There will be a New Year's Eve Ball again this year..... it will include a sit down three course dinner catered by Ida Pinksen starting at 7:00 pm. The dance will follow with music by D.J. Cameron Patey. The cost for this event will be \$30 per person for both the dinner and dance, \$15 per person for dinner only or \$15 per person for dance only. The tickets are available from the town office, your council members or the Recreation Director, Karen Moss. Tickets will need to be purchased by December 22ndHope to see you all there!!!!

SPECIAL E	VENTS
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Birthdays:

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Date	Name	Age
Nov 19	Paul Reid	54
Nov 19	Jason Jones	42
Nov 19	Rikki Burden	13
Nov 20	Brian Nolan	62
Nov 20	Ivy Murphy	5
Nov 24	Jim Bradley	49
Nov 27	Paula Stagg	37
Nov 28	Ida Pinksen	67
Nov 30	Janet Butt	54
Dec 1	Hilda Rumbolt	63
Dec 1	Kristen King	20
Dec 2	Gloria Burden	67
Dec 4	Dean Pittman	54
Dec 5	Geraldine Stagg	?
Dec 9	Nancy Anstey	41
Annivers	saries:	
Date N	lame	Years
Nov 17	Althea & Otto Reid	43

NOV 17	Aunea & Ouo Keia	43
Nov 18	Ida & Stan Pinksen	<i>49</i>
Dec 3	Minnie & Dave Reid	43

TAX COLLECTION

As of November 16 the town's collection rate for 2015 stands at 97.26%.Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 97.02%.

NOTE: All seniors (65 years of age or older - or turning 65 any time during 2015) are eligible for an additional 5% discount. Please advise the office if you will reach the age of 65 during the 2015 year so that your taxes can be adjusted to reflect the discount on your 2015 tax bill

FITNESS CENTER

The town has acquired some fitness equipment for the basement of the hall. We are going to have it opened starting on Monday, October 26th at 9 am. This center will be open during office hours and any other time that we can find volunteers to supervise. The minimum age of user will be 16 unless accompanied by an adult. There will be no charge for use of this facility but a donation box will be on site... money collected will be used for the cleaning supplies, treadmill oils, machine inspection and any maintenance required. We are hoping that residents will get out and take advantage of this facility!!!!

Please Note: There is a Waiver that MUST be filled out before using the facility. They will be available at the town office or a supervisor will have them at the community hall if opened after office hours. The supervisor will check the book to ensure a person has a waiver filled out before allowing use.

If you are interested in volunteering please call the town office at 635-5232. Any operating times outside of office hours will be posted on the facebook page or you can call the town office for updates.

FIREMEN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank everyone who attended, helped out or contributed in any way to the ball. It was a great success again this year!

Congratulations to Fire Chief, Bruce Curlew who was voted by his peers as Fireman of the Year!!!

PROVINCIAL ELECTION

The Provincial Election will be held on November 30th at the Town Office. Don't forget to get out and vote!

RECREATION NEWS

Aqua-fit: This program began on Wednesday, September 30th from 8:30-9:30 a.m. There will be no charge for those people who are registered. Anyone that requires a ride or would like to car pool please call the town office by Tuesday. We will be running this program on Wednesday and Friday mornings if there is enough interest.

The Knitting Circle: This program began on Monday, September 14th at 1:30 p.m. This program was a huge success last year and we hope to see you all there again!

HOLIDAY BAZAAR



At the Reidville Community Center, November 28th from 11a.m. to 3 p.m. Crafts, Baked Goods, Knitted Goods, Bottled Goods, Epicure, Beach Glass, Jewelry, Specialty Tea, Beauty Products, Mummers, Rugs, Paintings, Party Lite, etc. Soup and sandwiches will be sold throughout the day as well.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS

There is only 7 weeks left before Christmas and we would like to think of those who are less fortunate.....

We will be starting a grocery hamper which will be dropped off to the Deer Lake Food Bank on December 18, 2015.

Listed below are some of the items that are needed.

-Peanut Butter -Canned Milk -Cheese Whiz -Jam -Canned Meats -Side Kicks -Potato Mixes -Crackers -Crackers -Cookies -Muffin Mix -Ketchup -Miracle Whip/Mayo

Any help would be appreciated! Items can be dropped off at the Reidville Council Office. Thanks so much!

JOKE

A dentist a nurse and a army general are flying.

The dentist decides to drop a tooth brush out of the plane. The nurse drops down a medical kit and the army general drops a bomb.

They land the airplane and see what happened...

First they found a guy looking for his false teeth.

Next they found a guy bandaging his wounds.

Lastly they found a young boy laughing his head off.

They asked him what happened and he said, "My grandfather farted and blew up his house."

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