



TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

December 2016

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Reidville Volunteer Fire Department

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TREE LIGHTING

The town of Reidville council, staff and Recreation Directors would like to thank the firemen for doing such a wonderful job putting up the lights...without you it would not have been possible. A special thank you to Tim Hortons for the donation of hot chocolate, everyone who came out to take part in this event and of course Santa for taking time out of his busy schedule to make an appearance.

THE GRINCH IS COMING TO TOWN!!!!

Mark your calendars! The Grinch will be coming to the community hall on Wednesday, December the 14th at 6:30 pm. Please keep an eye on our facebook page for more details.

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 16th and reopen at 9:00 a.m. January 2nd. 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 636-3285
Councillor Russell Reid 635-3347

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

A huge thank you to all the vendors, anyone who helped out and everyone who attended the third annual Holiday Bazaar! It was a huge success and we look forward to seeing you all next year!

GARBAGE COLLECTION

There will be **NO change** in the garbage schedule over the holidays.

Garbage will be collected on Wednesday, December 21st and Wednesday, December 28th.

CHRISTMAS PARADE



The Reidville Fire Department has set the date for the Christmas Parade for December 17th 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!

BOXING NIGHT DANCE /NEW YEARS EVE BALL



Annual Boxing Night Dance - The Boxing Night Dance at the community hall will go ahead again this year. There will be a \$10.00 charge at the door with the dance beginning at 9:30 p.m. with D. J. Cameron Patey.

New Years Dance - There will be a New Year's Eve Dance only this year..... dance will begin at 9 pm with music by D.J. Cameron Patey. The cost for this event will be \$20 per person. There will be chips/cheesies/nuts, party favours, a balloon drop at midnight as well as a door prize. The tickets are available from the town office or the recreation directors: Lorna Curtis @ 636-3637 or Bonnie Reid @ 636-8967.

FITNESS CENTER

The fitness center will be closed from December 16th to January 2nd. There are too many activities planned for the Community Hall during those two weeks to have the center opened. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause!

PERMIT

As of January 1, 2017 a permit will be required to develop land. There will be no charge for this permit.

LOST AND FOUND

Found: A hockey stick was picked up on Reidville Road. Please call 215-1402 if you think this may be your stick.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
Nov. 23	Rachel Hoffe	38
Dec. 17	Michelle Martin	48
Dec. 17	Scott Elms	66
Dec. 20	Gary Reid	45
Dec. 23	James Reid	68
Dec. 23	Jean Hiscock	67
Dec. 23	Kim Oxford	41
Dec. 23	Sharon Reid	22
Dec. 23	Janice Reid	8
Dec. 27	Wayne Stuckless	63
Jan. 2	Ford Janes	73
Jan. 2	Rick Janes	54
Jan. 2	Barbara Anstey	52
Jan. 3	Marjorie Curlew	66
Jan. 4	Jason Reid	43
Jan. 5	Carla Curlew	30
Jan. 6	Alice Kennedy	?
Jan. 7	Arthur Reid	81
Jan. 7	Sandi Reid	12
Jan. 7	Nicholas Reid	10

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
Dec. 17	Mary & Larry Reid	45
Dec. 18	Rose Marie & Carson Young	40
Dec. 22	Marjorie & Wilfred Curlew	43
Jan. 6	Nina & George Welsh	43

TAX COLLECTION

As of December 12, the town's collection rate for 2016 stands at 98.66%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 97.26%.

CHASE THE ACE

Join the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department at Chase the Ace Lottery every Sunday Afternoon at the Community Center

The money raised from the Lottery will be used to help purchase Fire Protection Equipment.

Tickets will be sold weekly at the Community Hall from 2:00 pm to 3:15 pm with a ticket draw at 3:30 PM. Tickets are \$2 each, 3 for \$5 or 7 for \$10 and can only be purchased at the event. **This week the event will be held as regular on Sunday afternoon, December 18th but due to Christmas Holidays if the jackpot doesn't go the following week it will be held on Tuesday, December 27th and the week after on Monday, January 2nd.** It will return to regular Sunday afternoons on

January 8th. The Consolation Prize will be given away each week. The Jackpot is now over \$12,000!! The Jackpot will grow each week until the Ace of Spades is drawn.

Ticket sales are to persons 19 years of age or older.

BUDGET 2016

There will be a small mill rate increase from 5% to 5.25% and a small increase in water rates from \$310 to \$324 for the 2017 year.

Council has adopted the following budget for the 2017 taxation year as such:

Property Tax:	5.25 mils
Commercial Industrial Water	\$594
Commercial Other Water	\$400
Commercial Farmer Water	\$562
Residential Water	\$324
Business Tax:	
Farmers-wholesale (\$200min)	3.5 mils
Farmers-Retail (\$200 min)	5.5 mils
Confectionary (\$200 min)	8.5 mils
Home Based Business (\$200 min)	8.5 mils
Logging/Contract/Trucking	8.5 mils
Accommodations (\$200 min)	8.5 mils
Surveying (\$200 min)	8.5 mils
Meat Cutter (\$200 minimum)	8.5 mils
Backhoe Hire (\$200 min)	8.5 mils
Utilities	2.5%
Poll Tax	\$250.00

Revenue anticipated:

Taxes	\$363,024.82
Grants in lieu of taxes	\$0.00
Sale of Goods & Services	\$43,000.00
Other Revenue from own sources	\$9800.00
Government Transfers	\$106,054.88
Other transfers	\$0.00
Total:	\$521,879.70

Expenditures anticipated:

General Government	\$202,850.00
Protective Services	\$19000.00
Transportation	Service
	\$109,928.97
Environmental Health	\$78,319.17
Planning and Development	\$600.00
Recreation Culture Services	\$13,500.00
Fiscal Services	\$97,681.56
Other Services	\$0.00
Total:	\$521,879.70

HOLIDAY GREETINGS

The Reidville Town Council and Staff, The volunteer fire department and the recreation directors would like to wish all residents a very Merry Christmas and Joyous New Year.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS

We have started a grocery hamper which will be dropped off to the Deer Lake Food Bank on December 16, 2016.

Listed below are some of the items that are needed.

- Peanut Butter
- Canned Milk
- Cheese Whiz
- Jam
- Canned Meats
- Canned pasta (ravioli, spaghetti)
- Juice boxes
- Crackers
- Cookies
- Muffin Mix
- Ketchup
- Miracle Whip/Mayo
- Paper towels/Toilet paper

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

FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

There will be a silent auction held in Pasadena at the Lions Club sometime in the early part of 2017 to assist with a Wheelchair Accessible Van for Carson Young. Any donation of merchandise and/or gift certificates would be greatly appreciated. For further information or to donate call 215-1402 or 636-2610.

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