

TOWN OF REIDVILLE

Community Newsletter

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WATER INTERRUPTIONS ... FIRE HYDRANT INSTALLATION

Council would like to thank residents for their continued patience during the installation of the new fire hydrants in the town. The next fire hydrant installation is scheduled for Thursday and Friday, **September 14th and 15th** and the final one for **September 28th & 29th**. Unless there is a scheduling conflict with our backhoe operator, the hydrants will be installed at the intersection beside the chlorine building on Old Rocky Brook Road and just before Trout Brook around the vicinity of Mr. Donald Brake's residence.

***NOTE:** It is hoped that water service interruptions on September 14th and 15th will be minimal however please be prepared for interruptions.*

***BOIL ORDER ADVISORY:** After the completion of the last two hydrants, the Department of Health will be contacted to lift the town from the boil order advisory.*

Please mark the above dates on your calendar. It is virtually impossible to

contact each resident individually - **PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR** so you will be aware why you will be without water for a number of hours on either of these dates. Council will try and limit your inconvenience as much as possible. Your continued patience is appreciated.

NOTE: While new hydrants are being installed council would appreciate it if residents stayed back from the construction site. Any site under construction is considered a safety hazard. Your patience and understanding here would be greatly appreciated.

FIRE HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be doing their regular biannual flushing of the fire hydrants starting 9 a.m. on Sunday, September 24th. There should be minimal disturbance in your water supply however residents are asked to be cautious as there may be some discoloration for a short period of time.

Thank you.

FIREMEN'S BALL

The Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their annual firemen's ball on Saturday,

October 28th. DJ for this event is Jim Cumby. For more information or tickets, please contact either member of the fire department or call Roy Pittman at 635-3044.

PRIZE BINGO

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. along with the Reidville Volunteer Fire Department will be holding their first prize bingo of the fall on Tuesday, September 26th with doors opening around 6:45 pm. All are welcome!

BUS SAFETY CONCERN

It's back to school time and safety has to be the top item on the timetable. Some residents have expressed concern over youth standing in the middle of the road while waiting for the school bus in the mornings. Drivers are asked to be extra cautious however parents are asked to remind their children (including their teens) to please stand on the side of the road off the pavement while waiting for the school bus. This problem has been extremely dangerous at the bus stop by Mary Reid's.

WELLNESS FOR LIFE

Beginning September 20th, there will be a new service/information session held at the Community Hall every **Wednesday** from **10 am to 12 noon**. This service/session is called "Wellness for Life" and is the brainchild of Mrs. Irene Reid. This event is open to all **adults** who are interested in learning about health issues, low impact exercise, eating right and many issues that effect our everyday living. Come one and all. Lets share our knowledge and experience!

For more information, please contact Irene at 635-5288. Thank you.

NATIONAL DRESS DOWN DAY!

The Canadian Breast Cancer of Canada will be holding its 9th annual Dress Down Day on Friday, October 6th, 2006 during breast cancer awareness month. During breast cancer month, they would like us all to remember:

- Everyday, breast cancer becomes a reality for 51 Canadians
- Everyday, breast cancer steals the lives of 15 Canadians
- 70% of them have NO RISK FACTORS
- 2% of all breast cancer cases are men.

STRATEGIC PLANNING SESSION

On Friday evening and Saturday, October 20th and 21st, the town of Reidville along with the Department of Industry Trade and Rural Renewal will be hosting a Strategic Planning Session for the town of Reidville. This event is by invitation only. A number of invitations will be sent in the coming week. If this is something you are interested in, please contact the council office as numbers that are permitted to attend are limited. Thank you.

FLEA MARKET SIGNS

Flea markets are becoming more and more popular. With flea markets comes the signs advertising the event. Council asks that after your event, that these flyers be removed. By leaving them up, they become both a public nuisance and do create litter on our streets. Thank you.

YOUTH DANCES

The Reidville Recreation Committee Inc. will soon be operating more youth dances from the Community Hall. For more information, please keep an eye at the bulletin boards or contact Terri-Lynn at 635-5333.

ADULT DARTS

Adult fun darts will soon be starting at the Reidville Community Hall. Please keep looking at the Town Bulletin Boards for a posting of the start date. Thank you.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

COPIES

- Copies are available at the council office for \$.25 each.

FAXES

- Faxes are able to be sent and received.
Cost: \$2.00 send (long distance)
\$1.00 send (local)
\$1.00 receive from anywhere (four pages or less. If over four pages, then only \$.25 per page)

LAMINATIONS

- \$2.00 for 8 1/2 X 11 inch
- \$1.50 for 5 X 7 or smaller

LOST & FOUND/ BUY & SELL

Lost:

- **Keys:** a resident has lost their mail key which is on a key tag with a miniature \$50.00 bill. Can the finder please drop the key off to the council office.

Found

- **Glasses:** one set of reading glasses found on the parking lot of the Community Hall. They can be picked up at the town office.
- **Keys:** A set of keys has been at the council office for quite some time. There are four keys on the set with one key belonging to a Chrysler vehicle.

For Sale

- SHNOLA Crafts and Gardening now has a display of items for sale by this local craftsperson. Any interested persons can drop by 2 Herb Street Monday,

Tuesday or Thursday from 12 noon to 8 pm or on Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm... or just call Shirley at 635-3144 at your convenience.

MAIL BOX DEBRIS

An annoying amount of debris has been repeatedly found at the mail boxes since the summer. This debris includes flyers and snack items. Please help keep our town clean and green and do not litter. If you do not want flyers in your mail, please contact either Canada Post or the mail lady and there will not be any more flyers placed in your box. Thank you.

SENIORS GROUP

Any residents interested in forming a senior group (any resident aged 55 and up), please contact the council office and have your name added to a list. Thank you.

BUSINESS VENTURE WITH THE WWW

If any local business would like to have a single web page located on the WWW at a reasonable cost, please contact Clifford Reid at 635-5288.

YOUTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS

World Youth Day: Congratulations to **Wendy Reid** who was one of three youth from the Deer Lake Roman Catholic Church chosen to represent the area at the 2008 World Youth Day schedule for July in Sydney, Australia. Wendy - who will be in the presence of the pope - will be spending two weeks in Australia.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Help Desk Now is considering Deer Lake for a

150 call-in help centre. Interested parties can submit resumes to:

Help Desk Now
P.O. Box 215
Grand Falls, Windsor, NL
A2A 2J7

Tel: 709-292-8855

Fax: 709-292-8709

e-mail:

careersdl@helpdesknow.com

or

careersnl@helpdesknow.com

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NOTE: Even though the deadline for application has passed, the town is still receiving applications. Thank you.

SPECIAL GREETINGS

Birthdays:

Date	Name	Age
September 9	Jason Stagg	28
September 12	Melvin Ball	75
September 13	Cora-Lee Reid	13
	Goldie Layden	56
	Jason Reid	
September 14	Mae Ball	70
	Ricky Young	
September 15	Courtney Reid	21
	Chad Reid	21
	Byron Reid	
	Lorna Curtis	51
September 16	Thomas Reid	81
September 19	Samantha Janes	10
September 23	Elizabeth Rumbolt	82
September 24	Margaret Janes	
September 25	Eric Reid	
September 27	Viola Reid	77
October 2	Wilfred Curlew	
October 3	Carol-anna Dobbin	65
October 4	Troy Stuckless	
October 7	Trixie Ford	37
October 9	Terri-Lynn Curlew	

Anniversaries:

Date	Name	Years
Sept. 13	Melvin & Mae Ball	50
	Gary & Connie Reid	9
Sept. 14	Ford & Faye Janes	42
Sept. 25	Aubrey & Bonnie Janes	66
Sept 30	Edward & Darlene Pinksen	

HALL BOOKINGS

For future Community Hall bookings, please contact Terri-Lynn Curlew at 635-5333. Thank you.

AFTER HOURS CONCERNS

Residents are asked to please limit calls to council staff after hours. Calls concern animal control, roads or water can be answered by the elected council members. Thank you.

TAX COLLECTION

As of September 12th, the town's collection rate for 2006 stands at 90.11%. Compared with the same time last year, the town's collection rate is up from 87.75% - that a 2.36% increase!

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

NOTE: Collection notices and water cut off notices have been delivered to those with outstanding accounts. Further action will be taken. Unfortunately council has no choice but to be firm -tax collection is the lifeblood of our town. Thank you.

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

