



TOWN OF WINTERTON NEWSLETTER

July 2012

Town of Winterton:

The Town of Winterton is taking part in The Tidy Towns Competition this year and is hoping for the resident's cooperation in displaying our beautiful community. If you wish to be a member of the Tidy Towns Committee please contact the Town office. Please make every effort to ensure your property is neat and tidy for the judging that will take place in late July; also we will be hosting a family cleanup day tentatively on July 21. The Town is asking that all dog owners keep their dogs from roaming. The Town will be having a metal disposal bin starting the first week of July. Please see attached the list of materials accepted.

Winterton Ambulance Service:

If you happen to dial the emergency number 583-2777 by mistake please say that you have reached a wrong number instead of just hanging up. Fundraising efforts by the Ambulance service has resulted in the committee buying a new ambulance; thank you to all who have supported and continue to support our Ambulance service. We are asking residents to please ensure that your civic address is located on your home. Keep checking the Ambulance Facebook site for upcoming events.

Winterton Fire Department:

On June 9th, our Fire Department hosted a very successful household hazardous waste drop off; thank you to everyone who contributed. Fundraising efforts by the Fire Department has resulted in purchasing 3 lengths of 100 Foot hose and breathing apparatus'. We thank everyone for their continued support and hope everyone has a safe and fire free summer. Keep checking the Fire Department Facebook site for upcoming events.

Outside Pond Park:

The May 24th weekend was a successful one!! As some of you may know during that weekend we had damage done to the boardwalk. The boardwalk serves not only our Town and park patrons but also the surrounding communities if you see anything disconcerting please report it to the office or drop a note in our suggestion box.

Winterton Heritage:

On June 30th (featured artist Melvin Green performing traditional NL music). July 1st, will be hosting a Canada day open house at The Museum. July 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th, August 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th will be hosting Boat Building Workshops with featured artists July 7th (Marjorie Powers and Monica Hindy knitting), July 14th (Rhoda Hedd Traditional Rug Hooking), July 21st (Howard Cooper performing traditional NL music), July 28th (Kevin Coates wood carving) & August 25th (Florence Pinhorn). On Saturday July 7th there will be the Vokey Schooner launch in Trinity, NL. Starting August 7th to August 11th there will be a week long workshop. August 12th there will be a family fun day. On Tuesday, August 21st to August 26th there will be a week long workshop. September 7th to September 8th the 5th Annual Wooden Boat Conference-The Newfoundland Schooner-A Workhorse of Beauty, Speed and Grace will be held in Winterton this year!!

Winterton Recreation Commission:

Sunday, July 1st there will be a Canada day parade starting at 2:00 pm from the Fire Hall to the Rec. Center, there will be first, second and third prizes for the best decorated bike with a lunch to follow. July 28th and 29th the Town will be celebrating its annual Winterton Day Weekend. There will be activities for young and old. We are hoping to display some local entertainment, if you are interested in showcasing your talent please let us know in advance so we can schedule you in. July 28th there will be a dance held for the Winterton Weekend Celebrations featuring Fitz and Wiseman, the dance starts at 10:00 pm; please contact any recreation member for tickets. The Commission is also currently looking for volunteers to help with working in the booths; if you are interested you can contact any recreation member. Thank you for your community support again this year.

Other News Around Town:

There is a softball league starting up and if any adult is interested in a game of ball Friday evenings the registration is \$15.00. Contact Lori Hiscock at 583 2110, Stephanie Powers Green at 583 0097/2010, Michael Green at 583-2136 or Shelia Norris at 583-2669; also if anyone has any old equipment they would like to donate it would be greatly appreciated.



PLEASE BE ADVISED:
OFFICE HOURS FOR
THE TOWN OF WINTERTON
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
MONDAY – OFFICE CLOSED
TUESDAY - THURSDAY:
8:30 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.
FRIDAY 8:30 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.
CLOSED FOR LUNCH 12:00 – 1:00



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