



Municipal Newsletter

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CENSUS DAY IN CANADA

Every five years Statistics Canada conducts a census to collect important information about the social and economic situation of people living in various regions of the country. **The next Census of Canada will take place on Tuesday, May 16th, 2006.**

The census includes every man, woman and child living in Canada on Census Day, as well as Canadians who are abroad, either on a military base, attached to a diplomatic mission, or at sea or in port aboard Canadian-registered merchant vessels. Persons in Canada, including those holding a temporary resident permit, study permit or work permit, and their dependents, are also part of the census.

McKENZIE ISLAND PARKING LOT

On Wednesday, May 10th, 2006, the Municipality will begin the re-shaping of the McKenzie Island Parking Lot, located by the Cochenour Water Treatment Plant. Please ensure that all vehicles, trailers, boats, campers, etc. are removed from the area prior to that date. Your assistance will aid in a quick completion of this work.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT NEWS

All inclusive memberships at the Red Lake Community Centre now include aerobics. If you have an all-inclusive membership, you can register for any and all aerobics classes for free. Call 727-2089 for more information.

A "Canada Day Celebrations Meeting" will be held on Tuesday, May 16th, 2006 at 12:00 noon, at the Red Lake Community Centre. Anybody who wishes to be part of the celebration is invited to attend. All ideas, comments and support are welcome. For more information, please contact Michel Labonte @ 727-2089.

3RD ANNUAL GARB-A-THON CHALLENGE

Saturday, May 13th, 2006, from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

It's more than just a friendly challenge between our local communities; it's the annual event where public participation sets the tone for our civic pride in the coming year.

Not to be confused with other 'spring clean-up' programs hosted by the Municipality, the Garb-a-thon Challenge is purely a litter-picking event and confined to public spaces.

In past events, volunteers, in just a few hours time, have filled hundreds of bags with the litter retrieved from sidewalks, streets, ditches, parks and other municipal areas.

So, on the morning of Saturday, May 13th, put on your work gloves and pitch in! When you have filled a bag with litter, leave it by the road for pick-up. Drop by your local Fire Hall to pick up garbage bags, refreshments and enter your name for a prize.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE

2 Fifth Street
Box 1000
Balmertown, Ontario
POV 1C0

Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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807-735-2096

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807-735-2286

E-Mail

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Website

www.red-lake.com

After Hour Trouble Calls

Please call 727-2597

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Council Meeting Schedule

Committee of the Whole
(start @ 12:00 noon)
Tuesday, May 9th, 2006

Regular Council Meeting
(start @ 6:00 p.m.)
Tuesday, May 16th, 2006
Tuesday, June 6th, 2006

All meetings are open to the Public. The Meetings will commence at the times noted above.

Delegations will not be permitted at a Committee of the Whole Meeting.

Individuals or groups wishing to appear as a Delegation at a Regular Council Meeting shall submit a request, in writing, to the Clerk not later than 4:30 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to the meeting. The individual or group shall state the nature of the business to be discussed and to which the said person shall confine their remarks.

Agendas can be picked up at the Municipal Office after 3:00 p.m. on the Friday before the meeting.

PROCLAMATION

As Mayor of the
Municipality of Red Lake

I hereby proclaim the day of

Friday, May 12th, 2006

as

"Canada Health Day 2006,
Public Health: Working for You"

in the Municipality of Red Lake

Duncan Wilson, Mayor

See page two for Public Invitation to

Volunteer Appreciation Day





PUBLIC INVITATION

You and/or your Organization are cordially invited to attend the

“Annual Volunteer Appreciation Day”

Co-Hosted by the
Red Lake Regional Heritage Centre Board
and the Municipality of Red Lake

Date: Tuesday, June 6th, 2006
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Location: Red Lake Regional Heritage Centre
51A Highway 105, Red Lake

Please RSVP the names of those who will be attending by June 1st, 2006 to the Red Lake Regional Heritage Centre at 727-3006.

A light luncheon and refreshments will be provided.

On display at the Heritage Centre in June

“Images of the Hudson’s Bay Company: Historical Calendar Series”

“The Hudson’s Bay Company’s annual calendar, which was launched in 1913, began as a promotional tool to display the company’s colourful image and soon became a Canadian tradition. Frank Reid worked for the Hudson’s Bay Company for 28 years, ending his career with the company in Cochenour in 1951. Over the years, Mr. Reid collected 20 of these beautiful calendars. Mr. Reid’s descendants donated his collection to the Heritage Centre, for all to enjoy. The exhibit includes historical information of the images, artist biographies and other interesting information.

Special thanks to the Reid family for donating the collection, and to Grant Hogg and Omega Graphics for their generous support of this exhibition.