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Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's Winter Carnival 2007

FEBRUARY 17TH - FEBRUARY 24th

Saturday, February 17th - Community Breakfast



(a) The Royal Canadian Legion

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Come and enjoy a hot breakfast served by your Town Council before you begin your day of festivities. The cost is just \$3.00 per person.

Saturday, February 17^{th-} Snow Sculpturing Contest Judging 3:00 p.m.



Weather permitting, members of the Town Council will travel around the community and judge the snow sculptures that entered into the contest. YOU MUST REGISTER IN ADVANCE! Call Dawn, the Recreation Director at 727-5203. You can leave a message. Deadline to call is Saturday, Feb. 17th at 1:00p.m.

Saturday, February 17th - Winter Carnival Dance

(a) Recreation Centre

9:30p.m.

The St. Philip's Anglican Church in conjunction with the Town will be hosting the adult dance. **Music will be provided by "Mr. Music"**. To purchase tickets (\$5/each) call Linda @ 895-1077 or Kathy @ 895-3847.

Sunday, February 18th - Sliding Party

(a) Mayor Collins' Home

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to 180 Old Broad Cove for an afternoon of winter fun. Hot Chocolate and marshmallows will be served.

Sunday, February 18th - Community Bonfire

@ Voisey's Brook Park

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Volunteer Fire Department will provide marshmallows, wieners, and hot chocolate. Fireworks will end the event!



Monday, February 19th - Women's Institute Open House

@ Recreation Centre

8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

All ladies are welcome to come out and enjoy a social event.

Monday, February 19th - Family Scavenger Hunt

@ St. Philip's Library

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

You will receive your list of items to collect when you register you team (Minimum of 2-Maximum of 4) at 6p.m. You will have an hour and a half to collect as many things on that list and return to the Library. The top 3 teams that collect the most items will win a prize.

Tuesday, February 20th - Family Open Mic Nite

(a) Royal Canadian Legion

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited out to this evening of family entertainment. We would like to encourage anyone who is musically talented to come out and participate. We are looking for young and old, families, friends, etc. Local entertainers will be hosting this event. Admission will be \$2-adult and \$1 child. To help with the coordination of this event we would ask that you please contact Dawn at the Recreation Office at 895-8000 ext 4 to place your name of the list of entertainment. Our community is full of Talent...come out and support!

Wednesday, February 21st - Community Bingo

@ The Royal Canadian Legion

7:30 p.m.

Open to all ages! It will be regular Bingo format with an extra Winter Carnival game. Hot chocolate and snow balls provided! It will be a NO SMOKING facility for this event.

Thursday, February 22nd - Family Board Game Nite

@ St. Philip's Library

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to bring out their favorite board games and interact with friends, new and old. This will certainly be something that will bring laughter to all family members. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, February 23rd - StoryTime

@ Portugal Cove – St. Philip's Library

10:00 a.m.

There will be some special guest readers! Refreshments will be provided!

Friday, February 23rd - 50+ Club Open House

@ Recreation Centre

2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Anyone 50+ is invited to attend an afternoon of cards, darts, prizes, and refreshment. You do not have to be a member of the 50+ Club to attend!!!! For further information call Gertie Reese @ 895-6857



Friday, February 23rd - Hockey Night with the Fog Devils

Vs Cape Breton Screaming Eagles Game Time 7:00 p.m.

Free bus service will be provided to and from Mile One. Bus will pick up at the United Church in Portugal Cove @ 6:00 p.m. And the Recreation Centre in St. Philip's @ 6:15 p.m. You DO NOT have to use this service if you would like to attend. Tickets cost \$11 per person. If you or any group is interested in attending, please contact Dawn Chaulk @ 895-8000 ext. 4 or 727-5203.

DEADLINE THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND AT 4:30P.M.

Saturday, February 24th - Winter Family Fun Time

@ Voisey's Brook Park

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This will be a day of fun for young and old. Traditional games of tug-a-war, 3 legged races, wheelbarrow race... and much more. There will also be adult races and competitions. Prizes will be won and refreshments will be served. Come and enjoy the winter fun!



Saturday, February 24th - Community Skate

@ Capital Honda Arena

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend the FREE Community Skating Party at Capital Honda Arena (Formerly called Prince of Whales Arena – 138 Pennywell Road). Refreshments will be served after the skating party! Come out and enjoy!

Saturday, February 24th-Goods and Talent Auction

(a) St. Philip's Anglican Church Centre (20 Coady's Road)

Wine and Cheese Social 6:30 p.m.
Live Auction 7:30 p.m.

Door Prize: Dinner for 2 at Peter Belbins Steakhouse Tickets - \$8.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door.

For tickets call Joan Tucker @ 895-2846 or Lloyd Osmond @ 753-5413



Drawing Contest

This contest is open to all youth between the ages of 4 years and 18 years. The ages will be broken down into categories and there will be one winner from each group. The theme of your drawing is "Winter Fun"! Entries must be received by Friday, February 16th @ 4:00 p.m. If you would like to enter into the contest, please send your drawings to the address provided below:



Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philips Recreation Department 1119 Thorburn Road Portugal Cove – St. Philip's, NL A1M 1T6

If you have any questions regarding any event of the winter carnival, please contact Dawn Chaulk @ 895-8000 ext 4

Basic Sewing Course



The St. Philip's Women's Institute will be offering a Basic Sewing Course for in February and March. You will learn to sew a Cushion Top, a Place Mat, a Table Runner, and Pajama Pants.

This course is very limited in space (12 participants) and will be a first come first serve basis. To register for this course you will have to make payment at the Town Office between 8:30a.m. -4:30p.m. or call Dawn Chaulk @ 895-8000 ext 4.

<u>Deadline is Monday, February 5th</u>. Information for this course as well as materials needed is listed below.

Dates: Saturday, February 10th, Saturday, February 17th, & Saturday, March 10th

Time: 12:00p.m. – 4:00p.m. Registration Fee:

\$25.00

Items you will have to bring: Sewing Machine, Thread in Various Colours Pins, Pin Cushion, Seam Ripper, Scissors Extension Cord, *Pj pattern & material

All other items needed will be provided by the Women's Institute.

Portugal Cove-St. Philip's Vol. Fire DeptWinter Safety Tips

Be Safe Be Prepared Have Fun

Check the thickness of ice before using

4in. – Walking or Skating Alone 8in.- Skating Parties or Hockey Games 10in.- Snowmobiles or ATVs

Dress warmly, using Layers
Remember to use Safety Equipment
Emergencies call 911
Please ensure your street address is clearly visible from the road, so the Emergency Services can find you quickly.



The Town of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's Christmas Decorating Competition

The Recreation Department would like to recognize individuals and families from the Town



of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's who took the time to decorate their homes for the festive season.On Monday, December 18th,

members of your local Town Council traveled through the community and judged homes that were decorated for the Christmas Holiday.

We would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the Winners of the 2006 Christmas Decorating Competition:

1st Place- Betty and Clarence Churchill of 1649 Portugal Cove Road

2nd Place- Anthony and Agnes Snow of 481 Old Broad Cove Road

3rd Place- Dan and Maxine Butler of 1750 Portugal Cove Road &

Cory and Joy Pittman of 271 Dogberry Hill Road

We would like to acknowledge the residents that live along Portugal Cove Road from Triple D store to Dan and Maxine Butler (both sides of the road). There were a number of homes that were very bright along that stretch that have to be recognized for their efforts. The community thanks you for helping to spread your Christmas Spirit. We encourage everyone to get involved in the decorating competition again next year! It is very easy to enter......just show your Christmas Spirit!

Recreation Master Plan

The Town of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's would like to invite all residents to the presentation of the Recreation Master Plan that has been prepared by Tract Consulting.

Where: Recreation Centre When: February 27th @ 7:00 p.m.

If you would like further information, please contact Dawn at the Recreation Department @ 895-8000 ext 4