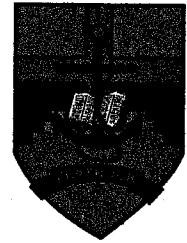


Flatrock Recreation News

December 2009



Regional Recreation Coordinator

Building on a strong working relationship established during the 2009 Killick Coast Games, the Towns of Pouch Cove and Flatrock have once again joined forces and have appointed Matthew Cooper as the new Regional Recreation Coordinator for the Pouch Cove-Flatrock Area. As the Regional Coordinator, Matthew will work with both Towns to enhance recreational and leisure opportunities for all residents.

Indoor Walking Program

Flatrock-Pouch Cove Recreation Indoor Walking Program has returned for the fall/winter season. Walking sessions are held on Tuesday and Thursday of each week at All Saints' Parish Hall Pouch Cove, from 10-11 am. New members are welcome to join.

Little Dreamers

Flatrock-Pouch Cove Recreation is very pleased to announce our Little Dreamers Preschool Play group. This program is open to all residents between the ages of 2 and 5 and runs every Wednesday morning from 10 – 11:30 am at the Flatrock Town Hall. This program provides an opportunity for children to develop their personal skills and learn about healthy living. Each session includes play time, healthy snack and educational time. A small fee of \$3 is charged each week.

Ball Hockey

During the fall season Flatrock-Pouch Cove Recreation held a Ball Hockey Program for youth between the ages of 7 and 12. This program was a great success with over 30 kids participating. After the Christmas season, we will be developing two Ball Hockey Leagues. One for youth between the ages of 7 and 12 and another for youth between the ages of 13-15. Information regarding cost and registration times will be posted in local businesses at a later date.

Flatrock Recreation Commission Current members of your Recreation Commission are as follows:

Paul Burton – Chairperson
Chris Regular – Vice Chair
Corrina Martin – Treasurer
Sonya Power – Secretary
Marion McCarthy – Council Liaison
Brian Martin – Council Liaison

Members at Large:

Dorothy Hawkins
Flora Pike
Madonna Wilkinson
Nancy Gosse
Theresa Barns

Should you have any question concerning Flatrock Recreation Commission please forward them to Matthew Cooper – Regional Recreation Coordinator at 335-2270 or via email pouchcoverecreation@hotmail.com.

Upcoming Christmas Events

Santa Claus Parade

The Town of Flatrock will be holding their annual Santa Claus Parade on Sunday, December 6th at 2pm. Everyone is invited to take part in the parade and enter a float. Santa will be visiting the Community Centre following the parade with loot bags for the kids. Judging for prizes will be completed by the Torbay Volunteer Fire Department and the winners will also be announced at the Community Centre. Canada Post will be collecting letters for Santa during along the parade route.



Tree Lighting

The Town of Flatrock will be holding their annual Tree Lighting Ceremony on Sunday, December 6th, at 4:30 pm. Residents are encouraged to come out, sing some Christmas carols and watch as they light their beautiful Christmas tree.

Breakfast with Santa

Jolly Old Saint Nicholas will be taking time out of this busy schedule and will be joining residents of Flatrock for breakfast on Saturday, December 19th from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. Santa Claus will be available for pictures so please remember to take your camera. Admission for this event is \$1 per person or a non-perishable food item per person.

Skate with Santa

Flatrock-Pouch Cove Recreation will be holding a Skate with Santa on Sunday, December 20th from 5-6 pm at the Jack Byrne Arena in Torbay. There will be a \$2 admission fee for this event.

Thank You

Members of Flatrock Recreation would like to take this opportunity and express their sincere appreciation to all residents of Flatrock for their continual support this past year and look forward to developing new exciting recreational opportunities in the New Year.

Questions of Comments

Should you have any questions or comments please forward them to,

Matthew Cooper
Regional Recreation Coordinator
Pouch Cove – Flatrock
Telephone: (709) 335 2270
Fax: (709) 335 2840

Email:

pouchcoverecreation@hotmail.com