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SOIREE 2010

Thank you to everyone who came out to support the 2010 Flatrock Soiree. A big thank you to all the volunteers who put so much time and effort in to making this another successful Soiree. A big thank you goes out as well to town maintenance worker Steve and his crew of student workers and friends who did so much of the physical work before and after the Soiree and as well to Matthew our Recreation Coordinator. Thank you to the sound crew and all the entertainment that was in attendance. THANK YOU to everyone who helped and supported the Flatrock Soiree in any way.

A special Thank You also to our MHA Kevin Parsons and our MP Jack Harris for attending the opening ceremonies and attending various events on Canada Day and during the Flatrock Soiree.

We would like to announce that the Flatrock Soiree 2011 will be held July 28-31. The Soiree Committee is looking for new volunteers. If you would like to volunteer in any way, please contact the Town Office at 437-6312.

KILLICK COAST GAMES

The Town of Flatrock would like to Congratulate the team of Pouch Cove, Bauline, Flatrock, Team PBF, on their achievements this summer at the Killick Coast Games that was held in Torbay. The team won the Mayors Cup for the Most Spirited Team. A great effort was put forth by all, including organizers, coaches and volunteers. The Killick Coast Games is for the youth to have fun, enjoyment and for recreation.

On Sunday, August 15 there was a softball game held, Flatrock, Pouch Cove and Bauline Softball Challenge, Senior Boys vs. Senior Men. There was an Annual Softball Challenge MVP trophy donated by Don Llewellyn and it was won by Riley Brooks. Thank you to Don for donating the trophy.

TARGA

Just a reminder that Targa will be taking place in Flatrock on Sunday, September 12. The roads will be closed from 12:30-1:45 and the Targa will start at 1:00. A list of the roads that will be affected by the Targa is on the back page of the newsletter. If you have an emergency during the Targa when the roads will be closed, please call 1-877-322-2413. There will be a newsletter from Targa Newfoundland in the mail with all the details.

FLATROCK PILGRIMAGE

The 6th Annual Flatrock Penitential Pilgrimage will take place Saturday, September 11, 2010. It will start at 11:00 am at the corner of Torbay Road and Windgap Road (Duffet's Parking lot) and proceed on foot and by car to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. Mass will be at 2:30. It is being sponsored by the St. Joseph's Prayer Group. If you need any information call 722-4842 or go to their website www.flatrockpilgrimage.org.

RECYCLING PROGRAM

The Town of Flatrock is considering a pilot recycling project for the months of November and December 2010. If this project goes ahead, the recycling will be picked up with your garbage every second Wednesday. They should be in a see through bag. The profits from the recyclables (items you pay a deposit on) will be going towards the Recreation program. A public meeting is being planned for late September or early October. A newsletter will be going out when a date is picked, also, keep an eye on our website.

ACCORDION IDOL

Congratulations to Justin Martin for taking 1st place at the Bell Island Accordion Idol. This is fantastic news for our local 15 year old, who competed against people who are playing longer than he is. Congratulations Justin, keep up the good work!

STUDENT SUMMER WORKERS

Thank you to ALL the student workers for all the hard work you put in this summer. We wish you much success in your future endeavors.

BACK TO SCHOOL

It is back to school time again. Please take extra caution, in the school zones and when you are behind a school bus, for our children. You can go to the Eastern School Board website to see a list of fines that will be imposed. We hope everyone has a successful and fun new school year.

TOWN WEBSITE

For any updated information, please visit our website, www.townofflatrock.com. We are always adding information, pictures and the Town Council Meeting Minutes are posted the day after the meeting. The newsletters for the Town and Recreation are also posted on the website as well. You can also access Building Applications and Tax Certificates forms as well. We are planning on adding more forms in the future.

LABOUR DAY

Best wishes to all workers and their families throughout our Town for a safe and enjoyable Labour Day Weekend.

Recreation Update

Flatrock Recreation Summer Program

Members of Flatrock Recreation Commission would like to thank everyone who helped to make our 2010 Summer Program a great success. Spread over seven weeks, our summer program was focused on providing a variety of recreational and leisure opportunities while educating children on the importance of healthy eating. Members of Flatrock Recreation would also like to extend our sincere gratitude to our five staff members whose hard work and determination made our program a great success. Flatrock Recreation would also like to thank members of the Town Staff for all your assistance over the summer.

2010 Killick Coast Regional Games

The Town of Torbay hosted the 5th annual Killick Coast Regional Games during the week of August 8 to 12. During the five day sporting event our athletes showcased their many talents and put forward a wonderful display of sporting ability and professionalism. Flatrock partnered with the towns of Pouch Cove and Bauline and sent over eighty athletes to this year's instalment of the Games. Congratulations to team PBF (Pouch Cove, Bauline, and Flatrock) on being named the most spirited town during the event and winning the Mayors Cup. Special thank you to everyone who volunteered their time during the games. It is with your contributions that we continue to send strong teams to the games. During the Opening Ceremonies, Mr. Warren Sullivan was recognized for outstanding contributions to the development of sports and recreational opportunities within our area.

During the Closing Ceremonies Coast 101.1 presented six sportsperson/most spirited individuals, listed below are the winners from team PBF:

1. Town of Flatrock – Josh Parsons
2. Town of Bauline - Evan Hannames
3. Town of Pouch Cove - Courtney Moores

Upcoming Recreational Events

Members of Flatrock Recreation Commission are now in the planning stages for our fall programming. This fall we are hoping to enhance the number of programs that meet the recreational needs of all residents. Residents are encouraged to check the towns web site on a weekly basis. Should you require any additional information, please contact Matthew Cooper at (709) 335 2270 or via email pouchcoverecreation@hotmail.com.

Targa Newfoundland

Roads Closed in Flatrock

Sunday, September 12, 2010

12:30-1:45 pm

Back Road
Boyles Lane
Edward's Place
Hickey's Lane
Houlihan's Lane
Kavanagh's Lane
Kavanagh's Place
Levman Place
Maher's Lane
Martin's Lane
Martin's Point
Mike's Crescent
Old Flatrock Road
Power's Lane
Uncle Jim's Place
Wade's Lane
Wind Gap Road

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