

Codiac RCMP Volunteers Benevoles de la GRC de Codiac

Activity Report
Rapport des Activities
2016

Mission

- Volunteers working in partnership with the R.C.M.P. members in the delivery of the day-to-day tasks that do not require a police officer, throughout the Tri-Communities.
- Volunteers support rather than replace RCMP staff and/ or employees.

Introduction

- The Codiac Volunteer Services group was formed in 1994 under the former City of Moncton Police. The group continued when the RCMP took over policing of the Tri-Communities in January 1998.
- The Volunteer group assists with day-to-day tasks that do not require a police officer. The volunteers are trained in first aid, and are trained to deliver safety programs throughout area schools.

Introduction

- The Volunteers have also had training in the use of radar, and will do regular radar checks as well as cell phone and seat belt checks for the regular members.
- This group is a self sufficient, non-profit organization.
- As of December 2016 the group had 15 active members.

Activity

- Although the volunteers are relatively small in number they were very active in providing support to the RCMP during the past year.
- What follows is a report of our activities for the year 2016.

Volunteer Vehicle Duties

- Normally, the volunteer vehicle can be found on the road five mornings a week from Monday to Friday. The following are the primary tasks that are undertaken:
- Picking up found property and preparing related reports to facilitate processing (bicycles, wallets, purses etc.)
- Picking up and delivering mail between eight RCMP locations in the Greater Moncton area (Codiak 520 Main, District 11 Riverview, Drugs, MacBeath Ave., Identification and Forensics, MacBeath Ave., IPOC, Ocean Limited Way, Telecommunications, Gauvin Road, Air Services as well as Moncton International Airport.)

Volunteer Vehicle Duties

- Picking up groceries and delivering them to the cell block at 520 Main.
- Returning seized and or found plates, drivers licenses, Medicare cards, and ID cards to Service New Brunswick.
- Picking up supplies from Central Stores at the Moncton Board of Works.

Volunteer Vehicle Duties

- Delivery of documents to the Crown Prosecutor at 777 Main Street.
- Picking up and delivery of all mail to and from the Post Office.
- Deliveries to Women Shelters of various products.
- Delivery of documents to Moncton Courts.

Safety Programs

- The volunteers completed several Safety presentations to area schools throughout the year.
- Bicycle Safety Program was rolled out to 15 schools (May 24th. Through June 30th.) 1,376 grade 3 students were covered.
- Crosswalk & Halloween Safety were carried out in schools in both District 1 and 2 covering 1227 grade 2 students. (October 17th-October 28th)

Safety Programs

- The Halloween Safety Program is normally included as part of the Crosswalk Safety program and was done again this year with our presentations to the Grade 2 classes.
- Teacher comments from all schools are very favorable and they look forward to these presentations on a regular spring and fall basis.

Other Activities in 2016

- Volunteers took part in the Riverview Bike Rodeo.
- Riverview Spring Clean-up.
- Kids Health Week-Moncton YMCA
- 3-K for 3 Fathers
- Park Surveillance throughout May-October
- Parking lot Surveillance-Handicap parking etc.

Other Activities in 2016

- Volunteers worked in conjunction with other groups in the Annual Moncton Santa Clause Parade.
- Volunteers developed a Fraud/Scam Program that was rolled out to senior locations throughout Moncton, Dieppe and Riverview.
- Volunteers participated in the Annual Touch-a-Truck Program.

Other Activities in 2016

- A Christmas Blitz was carried out at local malls to ensure parcels and valuables were being properly stored and out of sight.
- A Strategic Plan has also been put together by the volunteers outlining Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats that will face the group on a go forward basis.

TOTAL VOLUNTEER HOURS

- During the past year ending December 31, 2016 volunteer hours totaled 2,380 hours.
- This is 59.5 average 40 hour work weeks given by 15 volunteers at no major costs to Codiac or the Tri-Communities.
- The volunteers would like to thank the Board Members for their time and input given during the past year, it is greatly appreciated.