Codiac RCMP Volunteers Benevoles de la GRC de Codiac

Activity Report

Rapport des Activities

2017



Mission

Volunteers working in partnership with the R.C.M.P. members in the delivery of the day-today tasks that do not require a police officer, throughout the Tri-Communities.



Introduction

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 2017 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 2017.



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 (Codiac 520 Main, 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

- Radar patrol, assessing "Hot Spots" throughout the Tri Communities.
- 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.) 1,500 grade 3 students were covered.
- Halloween Safety were carried out at the Moncton Coliseum, in conjunction with the Monster Boo BBQ. 1200 children attended.

Safety Programs

- The Halloween and Crosswalk Safety programs are usually carried out in the schools but with the opportunity to reach so many children it was decided to tie in with the Monster Boo BBQ.
- Teacher comments from all schools are very favorable and they look forward to these presentations.

Other Activities in 2017

- 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 2017

 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 Event.

Other Activities in 2017

- A Christmas Blitz was carried out at local malls to ensure parcels and valuables were being properly stored and out of sight. Volunteers also distributed these placards to communities targeted by theft.
- A Strategic Plan has also been put together and continues to be reviewed 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, 2017 volunteer hours totaled 2,298 hours. To date we have 1900 hours logged for 2018.

 This is 57.5 average 40 hour work weeks given by 15 volunteers at no major costs to Codiac or the Tri-Communities for year 2017.

Costs

Volunteers get financial support from:

- > grants from tri-communities and;
- From RCMP Musical Ride. This only comes to the East Coast every 4 years and there is no guarantee that we will be approved to host them. This is a major undertaking to host and with the low number of volunteers it will be challenging.

Costs Cont'd

The following is a list of some of the costs:

WorkSafeNB- \$335.00

Commerical General Liability -\$615.00

CPR First Aid Training \$92.00 per volunteer. This has to be renewed Q3 years.

Display Banners - \$437.29

Vehicle Reserve- \$8,000 per year to replace van

Vehicle Insurance-\$980.00

Vehicle Repairs-\$2,211.58

Office Supplies- \$499.53

New Uniforms- \$6,478.66. The ongoing cost is \$450.00 per volunteer (looking at trying to recruit three volunteers per year) and replacement of some of uniform q2years for current volunteers.

Promotional : Approximate \$ 4, 500. 00 Examples: School Programs (1500 plus students) \$1600.00, Touch A Truck \$425.00,Block Parties \$300.00, Autism Walk \$100.00, YMCA Kids Day 150.00, Youth Festival \$300.00

Future Plans

- Apply for Musical Ride
- Continue to support following events: Touch a Truck, Block Parties, Autism Walk, Wildcats First Responder Event, MADD, Jean Coutu Baby Wellness, Youth Festival, YMCA Kids Day, Santa Claus Parade, Monster trot Bar-Boo-Que, plus various other events as they arise.
- Continue to present Bicycle/Crosswalk Programs to schools
- Carry out Antitheft/Fraud days quarterly
- New Programs : Positive Ticketing, Senior Police Academy (Hoping start this fall in Moncton area).







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