

BURNT RIVER ACTIVITIES GUIDE



DECEMBER 2011



Merry Christmas

Saturday December 10th

10:30 a.m. **children's Christmas craft** time at Burnt River Library.

Sunday, December 11th

St. Luke's Anglican Church and BRASS present the annual **Community Potluck Christmas dinner** at the Community Centre. Everyone is welcome. There will be a Toonie Auction as well as a delicious dinner. Following dinner, there will be a candlelight parade to St. Luke's Anglican Church for a special carol service. Come out and join in for any or all of these events.

5:00 for non alcoholic punch, cider, toonie table

5:30 for dinner

6:30 for candlelight parade

7:00 for carol service

St. Luke's church is creating a tree of warmth for the Christmas season. This tree will be decorated with mittens, hats, scarves, socks with special focus on adult men and women sizes if possible. If you wish to donate to this, please bring them to the potluck dinner or call Wendy at 454-8878 or Marian at 454-1708

Wednesday December 14th



Diners' Dinner will begin at **11 a.m.** because the **children's choir of Ridgewood Public School** will be presenting their annual Christmas concert. A country auction will also be featured.

Sunday, December 18th

Burnt River United Church will be putting on our usual **CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**, in which all of the congregation take part, commencing at 7:30 pm for an hour, with **LUNCH** served after. All are welcome. Admission to this program is one pair of **NEW SOCKS**, which are collected for donation to the **COVENANT HOUSE STREET KIDS** program in Toronto, along with **ANY SLIGHTLY-USED RUNNING SHOES OR BOOTS** we can collect.

Burnt River United Church has ADOPTED a CHRISTMAS FAMILY--we do this every year and this year our family consists of a mom (medium size), dad (large size), and four children as follows:

Boy 9 yrs old (Size 10 or 12)

Boy 5 yr old (Size 7 or 8)

Boy 2 yr old (Size 4)

Girl 4 mos. old (Size 12 to 18 mos)

We usually collect Can. Tire Money and buy each child a toy of some kind, or a good item of clothing, and an item of clothing for mom and dad, plus we stuff stockings for each family member, and supply groceries for breakfast and dinner on Christmas Day, plus any other groceries anyone wishes to donate. Anyone may contribute. The suggested family is recommended by the Coboconk Food Bank, and remains anonymous.

Remember you can check the BRAG online at www.brbrag.blogspot.com .

Have your BRAG conveniently sent directly to your own email address by emailing wendywat1@gmail.com or burntriverbrag@gmail.com

Free access to the internet is available at the Burnt River Library as well as at the Burnt River Post Office.

December Events

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| 10th Children's Christmas Craft at the Library |
| 11th Community Potluck Christmas dinner |
| 14th Diners' Dinner with the Ridgewood children's choir |
| 18th Annual Christmas Service Burnt River United Church |

Weekly Activities at Community Centre

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| Sewing and Crafts Tuesday 10– 4 p.m. | Bingo Tuesday 6:45 p.m. |
| Adult Day Care Program Wednesday 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. | Darts Thursday 7:30 p.m. |
| Yoga Saturday 8:45 a.m. (Call first 454-8045) | |

The B.R.A.G. staff welcomes your submissions and suggestions. For the next month's issue, please contact Angela Gorman 454-2656 or email your submission to wendywat1@gmail.com or burntriverbrag@gmail.com by **Jan. 20th, 2012**.