

Riverside South Community Association 2021-22 Year-End Report

The mandate of the RSCA:

- Develop and foster community spirit
- Protect and enhance the quality of life throughout the community
- Promote organized community endeavours
- Keep residents informed of actions that could affect the community

Ongoing pandemic restrictions in late 2021 and early 2022 resulted in some of our usual events being cancelled or modified, but we were able to hold almost all our regular slate of activities!

Year in Review:

- Halloween Tour 55 registered homes
- Toy Mountain Drive 24 large bags of toys collected
- Holiday Lights Tour 64 registered homes
- Outdoor Rinks 3 puddle rinks and 3 boarded rinks, approx. 800-900 volunteer hours
- Spring Clean Up 178 registered participants
- Student Bursaries 2 @ \$1000 bursaries awarded to local students
- Community Garage Sale approx. 60 homes registered
- Canada Day modified to just fireworks, largest crowd in memory
- Movie in the Park over 200 attendees
- Fall Clean Up 48 participants
- AGM

Keeping Residents Informed:

The RSCA communication platforms include a website, a monthly newsletter, a Facebook page, a Facebook group, a Twitter account, and an Instagram account, using these platforms during the past year, the RSCA Communications Director:

Promoted RSCA activities: see "Year in Review" section

Posted articles/bulletins regarding:

- Outdoor Rink conditions
- Coyote information
- Who to call and when to make reports to Police and Bylaw

Shared:

- Engage Ottawa opportunities that involved or affected Riverside South
- LRT updates and construction notices
- City of Ottawa reminders and events, including planning dept notifications of applications in Riverside South
- News or postings from Ottawa Public Health, Ottawa Police, Ottawa Bylaw, Ottawa Parks & Rec, and the Ottawa Safety Council.

Treasurer Report: See separate 2021-22 Financial Statements