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PRESS RELEASE

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Beaubassin-est residents can borrow snow kicksleds to have fun this winter

Now that we have snow, it's time to take advantage of Beaubassin-est's new free snow kicksleds rental program. What is a snow kicksled? It is a sled with long steel runners and a front seat so a passenger can sit. The kicksled is designed to be propelled from the rear with the push of the rider. The principle is like that of a scooter on wheels: you place one foot on the sleds, and you push with the other. After two or three strides, you let yourself slide, and you start again!

We have 14 kicksleds available, including four models for men, six for women and four for children. The kicksleds are available at the municipal office located at 1709, route 133 in Grand-Barachois. Our opening hours are Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., and procedures have been adapted to follow Public Health guidelines.

To borrow kicksleds, you must call 506-532-0730 so that we can collect all the necessary information, and then you will need to send us a copy of a driver's license. A specific time will be set for the pick-up and return of the kicksleds which will be done without contact outside. Once the kicksleds have been returned, all equipment will be disinfected and cannot be used for 48 hours.

Remember, you can also borrow snowshoes or activity kits for some fun this winter! For more information on these free programs, contact Pete Belliveau, Community Officer (Development), at 506-532-0730 or at pete.belliveau@beaubassinest.ca.

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