



THE RUSSELL WINTER CARNIVAL

February 3-7

The Russell Winter Carnival is presented, jointly, by The Russell Lions Club and The Russell Recreation Association

Your schedule of events:

Wednesday, February 3

8 p.m. - 11 p.m. **Carnival Queen Pageant** Arena
For information: Nancy Matthew 445-5764

Thursday, February 4

10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. **Public School Skating** Arena
6 p.m. - 11 p.m. **Old Timer Hockey Tournament** Arena
7:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. **Wine Cavern** Arena
Beard Contest judging
8 p.m. - 11 p.m. **Catholic Church Bingo** Catholic Church
Extras prizes for the carnival

Friday, February 5

10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. **Separate School Skating** Arena
6 p.m. - 11 p.m. **Broomball Tournament** Arena
7:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. **Wine Cavern** Arena

Saturday, February 6

8 a.m. **Curling Bonspiel** Curling Club
8 a.m. - 1 p.m. **Minor Hockey Novice Tournament** Arena
10 a.m. **Bake Sale** Arena
10 a.m. - noon **Children's Party** Fun for the children with the Roger Côté Bilingual Puppets & Magic Show Admission: \$0.50/child \$1.00/family
10 a.m. - 4 p.m. **Fishing Derby** For more information call Jack Tyo: 445-5557
1 p.m. - 4 p.m. **Games on Ice** Basket Ball on ice, Tug of war, & more
4 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. **Figure Skating Show**
5 p.m. - 7 p.m. **Bean Supper**
8:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. **Adult Dance** Arena Music of the 60's by "60 Cycle" \$3.00

Sunday, February 7

8 a.m. - 11 a.m. **Pancake Breakfast** Arena
9 a.m. - 11 a.m. **Minor Hockey Showdown** Arena
11 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. **Skating Races** Arena
12 noon **Skidoo Drag Races** For more information on how to enter this event, contact Bruce Woolsey 445-2897 1/2 mile South of village on Concession Rd.
1 p.m. **Carnival Parade** Music, floats and fun for everyone Starting at the Arena
Sled Races Following Parade Starting at the Arena
Costume Show on Ice Arena following Parade
1:30 p.m. **Arm Wrestling** At the Arena
2 p.m. **Lumberjack Contest** At the Arena (south side) Three events: Chopping Contest (bring your own axe), Woodsplitting Contest and Chain Saw Contest
3 p.m. - 5 p.m. **Ottawa Old Stars vs CJOH No Stars**
5 p.m. - 7 p.m. **Closing Dinner and Awards Presentation** At the Arena
UCFO Dinner: Boeuf à la Canadienne - Tarte Maison (French Canadian Stew Homemade Pies) Adults: \$4.50 Children under 12: \$2.50
A Bonfire will follow the awards presentation

Here's How you enter:

Old Timer Hockey: Contact Bruce Woolsey at 445-2897 Registration fee is \$20. per team
Broomball: Contact Pat Shea at 445-2885 Registration fee is \$20. per team
Sled Races: Details available from Norm Inglis at 445-2934 Registration fee \$8. per team
Lumberjack contests: Contact Sandy Mc Kinnon, for more information at 445-2076 Three categories: Chain sawing, Log chopping (axe) and Cross Cut (teams only) Entry fee is \$2. per person per event.
Arm Wrestling: Contact the Arena Manager at 445-2050 for further information
Curling Bonspiel Graham Robinson 445-2878
Fishing Derby Jack Tyo 445-5557 **Beard Growing** Paul Wylie 445-2050

The best darn carnival by a dam site

PHOTOGRAPHY: Courtesy Berube Photography Studio, Russell.

It's winter carnival time

There has got to be a reason why we choose to live in this land of frozen pipes, dead car batteries and snow-filled driveways. And thank Jack Frost there is. The Winter Carnivals.

Oh, the joy! Beard growing contests, snowmobile races, and pastry competitions. Fishing through the ice derbys. Hockey tournaments and dances. Arm wrestling contests and lumberjack competitions. And they all start in Embrun, Russell and Greely at the end of January, just as we promise ourselves we'll get through February.

The Embrun Winter Carnival starts off with sleigh rides and a "Feu de Joie" bonfire on Friday, January 29th and runs to the next weekend, February, 6th and 7th.

Greely celebrates winter on the same two weekends: January 29-30 and February 6-7th.

The Russell Winter Carnival starts February 3rd and ends with a bonfire on Sunday night, February 7th.

Take a tour of the carnivals' using the schedule of events in the ads on this page and you'll know why people love living in the Township of Russell.

The Embrun Carnival has pastry competitions, hockey games, dances and sleigh rides. There's also dart contests and pool competitions.

Greely starts celebrating the coming of snow with a parade and a snowmobile rally. Tuesday night there will be a Country and Western Dance. Broomball finals will be held the following Saturday. At the end of the Carnival on Sunday, February 7 there'll be snow shoe races, tobogganing, Junior Log Sawing and more.

Russell starts off its carnival on Wednesday, February 3rd with a Carnival Queen Pageant at the arena. On Thursday the most beautiful beard at the Carnival

will be chosen. On Saturday, February 6th you can taste goodies at a bake sale, take your children to a party, watch ice fishing on the Castor and dance to the music of the '60's at the arena. On Sunday there will be skidoo drag races, a carnival parade, a costumes on ice contest, arm wrestling and a lumberjack competition. It all ends with a toe-warming bonfire.

Celebrate winter. Celebrate snow. Celebrate at the Winter Carnivals. They'll give you something heart-warming to think about the next time you're stuck in the driveway.

Greely...

by Susan Potter

Its that time of year once again! Yes, Greely's Winter Carnival is fast approaching.

Greely celebrated the 10th Winter Carnival last year which shows a lot of experience is backing up the 11th Winter Carnival. Traditionally it is held between the last weekend in January and the first weekend in February, January 29 — February 7, although the Queen contest is held the evening of January 24th at 7:30 p.m.

This year's Carnival will be officially kicked off with a parade to be held on Saturday, January 30th starting at 10 a.m. After the parade, avid snowmobilers can compete in a Rally and later return to a hearty bean supper. Those not snowmobiling can stay and watch some exciting hockey provided by Atoms and Tykes, and then followed by an exciting game of broomball. Later in the evening (8 p.m.) there is additional entertainment for adults (19-over) — Adults Fun Nite.

The Community Centre is closed in order to prepare for the Carnival Dance, music is being provided by Westburg Union.

At 4 p.m. everyone can sit down to a Pot Luck Supper. Following at 7 p.m. is the last big event of the Carnival, the Amateur Show.

As you can imagine this is one carnival not to be missed by anyone. Hope to see you there.

(If you wish additional information on the Carnival contact Chairpersons — Neil Quinn 821-1214 or Judy Wells 821-2803).

Greely Winter Carnival

January 29 to February 7

Carnival Queen Pageant — Sunday, Jan. 24

- Teen Dance
- Broomball
- Carnival Parade
- Snowmobile Rally
- Hockey Games
- Bean Supper
- Cross Country Skiing
- Adult Fun Night
- Rolling Pin Toss
- Log Sawing (ladies)
- Movies
- Teeny Bopper Dance
- Country & Western Night
- Carnival Euchre
- Carnival Bingo
- Monte Carlo Night
- Snow sculptures
- Poster Contest

For more information:

Neil Quinn
821-1214

Judy Wells
821-2803