A note from the Mayor and Council of the Resort Village of Big Shell to Residents of the Resort Village and their visitors.

Recently we had a very successful fish derby and over $1100 was raised. Also the bottle and can recycling done by the Hoggs have raised close to $500 already this year. These funds go into the Resort Village Recreation Fund to fund various projects around the village, mostly for the children’s benefit.

Unfortunately, recently we have had several acts of vandalism, some examples below:

- an object, probably a rock, was thrown the basketball back guard smashing it  
- rocks have been thrown against the bathroom doors and sides down at the beach causing irreparable damage  
- shortly after the swim platform was installed kids were observed throwing rocks at it   
- various types of ATV’s being driven recklessly in the ball diamond and green spaces and around the village

Your Council and many in the Village spend a lot of time building and maintaining these facilities for our kids but are becoming very frustrated when things like this happen.

Unfortunately, a few bad apples will spoil it for everyone if this continues. We know that the majority of our residents respect and enjoy the recreational projects we provide.

If it continues there will be no appetite for us to continue with these projects. Please we ask everyone, ratepayers, children and guests be respectful of our facilities.

Respectfully

Mayor and Council Resort Village of Big Shell