



Meals on Wheels

When the initial COVID-19 restrictions came into effect, NGC CNG Company Limited, a subsidiary company of NGC, partnered with the Point Fortin Borough Corporation to assist with the delivery of lunches to communities on March 25th, 27th, 30th, and April 1st and 3rd.

The Corporation – led by His Worship the Mayor Kennedy Richards and Councilors – provided up to 150 meals per day for five days for the less privileged members of the community. These persons would have been severely affected by the restrictions, especially school-aged children who depended on meals from the school feeding programme.

The Corporation sourced donations for the lunches from businesses in the area and armed with a small team of volunteers, visited the districts and shared the meals. NGC CNG provided its 15-seater CNG omnibus and a driver to help transport the food.

Distribution of the food was an involved process as it required driving to individual homes to hand out each meal, while still trying to maintain social distancing guidelines. You may notice that masks and strict social distancing were not practiced. This activity occurred before the Chief Medical Officer's request that masks and six feet social distancing be the order of the day.

However, the effort was worth it as the residents of Point Fortin, especially the children, were appreciative. Roger Sant, Communications Manager, NGC CNG Company Limited shared his sentiments, "The Pt. Fortin Borough was one of the first to spring into action in the early days of the COVID-19 restrictions. Their meal distribution initiative was a nice fit for NGC CNG to partner with them as we were able to utilise the services of our Omnibus and bring some cheer to the residents of Pt. Fortin. It was a very rewarding experience for NGC CNG to partner with the Pt. Fortin Borough."



Members from the Regional Corporation distribute food



NGC CNG Company Limited's 15-seater CNG omnibus