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noon Meal and

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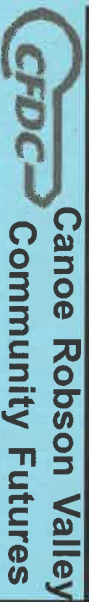


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**We will Be Closed**  
December 25th & 26th

Wishing Everyone A Merry Christmas!!!



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**Ken Starchuck** Phone: (250) 569-2229  
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Broom and Oscar wish everyone a  
MERRY CHRISTMAS  
and a  
HAPPY NEW YEAR



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For the week of Wed., December 20th, 2006

**MERRY CHRISTMAS!!! TOY DRIVE**

Celebrate the Season of Giving TOY DRIVE For McBride & Area Children. The Christmas season isn't easy for everyone, so if you see a need, please let us know. Anonymous & Confidential. \*\*Provide Name / Age / Gender / Physical Address to Craig or Tonia @ 569-7181 or Dan or Marilyn @ 569-8845. \*\*New & Unwrapped toy drop-off @ the Evangelical Free Church beside the Main St. ball diamond. \*\*After hours drop-off phone Mark or Rachel @ 569-0234 or 569-7049. Thanks for your generosity toward local families!

**THE JEWELLED HAND**

(Time has Changed) - The Grade 12 Theater Class Presents The Jewelled Hand by Charles George & Dead by David Abolafia: December 21 - 5:30p.m. At The Roundhouse Theater. Admission by Donation. Starring such actors as: Janel Lirette, Andrew Hryhrechuk, Ally Phillips, Becky Grant, Brody Vizza, Kia Barton and Micheal Marzalski.

**MCBRIDE FIGURE SKATING CLUB**

The McBride Figure Skating Club Christmas Skating Exhibition: Wednesday, December 20th at 5:00p.m. FREE Admission!!! Special Visitor!!! You won't want to miss it!

**ROBSON VALLEY MUSIC SOCIETY PRESENTS:**  
Solstice Gathering - Friday, December 22nd. Open Mic, Local Music, Tobogganing, Bon Fire, Coffee House / Treats, Inside/Outside activities. 7:30p.m. @ Seth and Shara's River Road, Dunster.

Interested in playing? More info? Please call Seth or Shara @ 250-968-4411 or email managurovoe@yahoo.ca. Become a member of RVMSS! Receive a discount to all events throughout the year, and support music, culture and arts in your community!!! Come and find our more...  
**ANNUAL ADRA CONCERT**

Come out and enjoy an evening of Christmas music by Local Musicians and Guests. FREE Admission. Donations will be taken for ADRA, serving the needs of people in Canada and around the world. Seventh-day Adventist Church, December 28th at 7:00p.m.  
**MCBRIDE EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH**

You're invited to an evening of quiet worship and reflection. Please join us on Christmas Eve, December 24th, at 5:30p.m., at McBride Evangelical Free Church as we celebrate the birthday of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

**New Year's Eve Family Skate.** The McBride Evangelical Free Church family has rented the arena on December 31st from 7 - 9p.m., and we'd like to invite our community to come and join us! Bring your skates and have a great time! Hope to see you there!  
**MCBRIDE 75TH ANNIVERSARY COIN**

The coin has arrived just in time to make a Great Stocking Stuffer and souvenir. You can purchase yours at the Info Center, Stedmans V&S, Wahoo Ent., or the Sandman Inn. Cost is only \$2.95.  
**ELKS/Royal Purple News**

The Elks and Royal Purple have been busy again this holiday season with a visit from Canada's Grand Exalted Ruler, Bill Ward on December 13th. We had a nice dinner meeting and presented to the Figure Skating Club the remainder of lottery funding the Elks applied for in 2005-06 and an additional \$1550.00 to Fund for Children was presented to Bill Ward.

We have been busy preparing the food hampers for the needy with the help of donations from McBride Secondary and many people from the community. If you have extra "turkey bucks" from I.G.A. and would like to donate them towards the hampers, please drop them off at Fort Electric by noon, Friday, December 22nd. Also, the McBride Centennial will be collecting a non-perishable food item on Thursday, December 21st 7:00 p.m. at their Christmas Concert. "Card Night" will be starting full time again. Come out and have some fun playing various games and visiting with friends every Friday starting January 5th. Hall doors open at 7:00 p.m. (must be 19 and older).

**New Year's Dance** tickets are available at Stedmans. Cost is \$15.00/person and includes midnight lunch. Tickets must be bought in advance.

The Elks and Royal Purple are very much in need of new members to maintain the service we provide to our community. If interested, you are welcome to attend our meetings, which are every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month or call Dwayne Needham and Kathy Molendyk at 569-3239 for more info.  
**BIRTHDAY WISHES DEC. 20 - 26**

Janice Lipke, Teo Esser, Brigitte Trask, Dade Goodkey, Shannon Monroe, Arthur Charrier, Alexander Miskic, Robert Krueger, Mike Frazier, Brian Thair, Mark Trask, Martina Kelley, Wesley Folland, Dwight Cole Jr., Emma Peasgood, Crystal Moyer, Madelaine Storie, Bill Trimmer, Marc Yungen, Krista Savarella, and to anyone we missed - Happy Birthday.

**Greyhound Bus Schedule** McBride Husky 569-2441

Depart to East-12:15am Daily • Edmonton  
Depart to West-6:10am Daily & 7:30pm Fri. Sat. Sun. • Prince George  
Depart to South-Daily 12:15am or 10 am Fri. Sat. Sun. • Kamloops  
Please contact The Little McBride Paper with all coming events, news, trivia, comments, anything!! Ph:569-3110, Fax:569-0220, email:sglines3@telus.net, P.O. Box 441, McBride, B.C. V0J 2E0 or drop off at 455 King St. If we don't know about it, we can't write about it!! -Scott & Susan Gimes - Oscar & Broom

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**Discovery Channel Update**

The Discovery Channel has suffered a fairly major breakdown. We are working as quickly as possible to secure repair parts - but the station could be off the air for up to two weeks while they are being tracked down, received and replaced. We really apologize for the interruption of service!

McBride  
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**NEW HOURS**

**Restaurant**  
Mon. - Fri. 8am-3pm Sat. 8am-2pm  
**Laundromat**

Mon. - Sat. 8am-7pm  
**Car Wash**

Mon. - Fri. 8am-3pm Sat. 8am-2pm  
(carwash may be closed if temperature drops below -10°)

~Restaurant, Laundromat & Carwash closed Sundays

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We will be OPEN Sun., Dec. 24 10am-2pm  
CLOSED Dec. 25 & 26

OPEN Daily till 5:30pm Friday till 6:00pm



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Your Neighbourhood Food Store

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Dec. 24 8-5, Dec. 25 & 26 CLOSED, Dec. 27 8-6

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## HOLIDAY HOURS

Monday, December 25th - CLOSED  
Tuesday, December 26th - CLOSED  
Wednesday, December 27th - 10:00 - 2:00  
Friday, December 29th - 2:00 - 9:00  
Saturday, December 30th - 2:00 - 5:00

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## THE LOGGER AND THE LADY

WE WILL BE CLOSED  
DECEMBER 25 & 26  
WE WILL ALSO BE CLOSED  
JANUARY 1ST, 2007

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!!  
569-0077 AFTER HOURS CALL 569-2539

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The McBride Curling Club is available for rent. This includes the lounge and ice surface. The cost of rental is \$25/hour to a maximum of \$125/day. If the McBride Curling Club provides a bar, rent is free. For more information, please contact Ria Anderson 569-3760. **Food Safe Course** - The McBride Secondary will not be hosting the next Food Safe Course. The E-Free Church will be hosting the next Food Safe Course sometime in January. Call Craig Arnold at 569-3396 to register. Registration limited to the 1<sup>st</sup> 30 people. **Help Wanted** - Will need a few people to collect Trail Passes. Part Time and Weekend Work. Good working vehicle a must. Phone Leslie at 569-3459.

**VALLEY MUSEUM & ARCHIVES SOCIETY** "Christmas & New Years" display by the - The Valley Museum & Archives Society will be on display until January 31, 2007.

**FREE ADULT COMPUTER SESSIONS** call Elise Olson at the Robson Valley Home Support Society 569-2266 and make an appointment.

**Drop In Volleyball** - Wednesdays at 7:00p.m. at the McBride Secondary School. You don't have to have a team.

**Community Badminton** - Tuesdays 7 - 9p.m. Please bring Indoor Shoes & your own Racket.

## MUSIC LOVERS

**Great Stocking Stuffers:** The Roundhouse Theatre Society Presents: New Orleans North (Dixieland Jazz) Wed., Jan. 24, 8:00p.m. Adults \$20, students \$15 also Strathcona String Quartet Sun. Jan. 28th, 2:00p.m. Adults \$15, Students \$10. "Special - Both concerts Adults \$30 students \$20. Tickets available at Stedmans. For further info, call Carol @ 569-0165.

## BUY, SELB, RENT & MISSG.

**For Sale-Full set of Leather Working Tools** worth over \$2500.00. Will sell for \$400.00. Phone 569-0113. **•House For Sale-3** bedroom, 1 bathroom, fenced yard, garage, close to downtown on 5th Avenue. Phone 569-0068. **•For Sale-Jackson Warrior** electric guitar. Black/silver. Excellent condition. New \$800, asking \$400. Heavy duty air hockey table. Like new \$300 Great Christmas Presents! Ph:569-2745. **•For Sale-4** Bridgestone Turanza tires. 215/65R16. Excellent tread, only used 3 months. Asking \$60.00 each. Free Spirit Compact home gym. 3 stage cable system, small and lightweight. Over 40 exercises included. Used for 3 months. Asking \$150.00. Call Lorrie at 250-569-7385. **•For Sale-1998** SummitX 670. 141" track. 2 windshields, rolled chaincase. M10 rear suspension, M8 front suspension, low kms, excellent cond. \$3900.00. Phone 569-7207. **•For Rent-2** Bedroom Suite, partially furnished. No Smoking or Pets. Very Clean - available Jan. 1, 07. Ph:569-0402. **•For Sale-Christmas** Goodies & Treats - anyone interested in Nuts, Trail Mixes, Assorted Dries Fruits, Chocolate Confections and much more Please call Cheryl (569-3265) or Sabrea (569 2320) Lipke for more information. **•For Hire-Willing to Snow-Blow** Driveways in Town. Call Boyd Ph:569-0236. **•For Sale-1998** Chev 1/2 ton Choyanne, ext. cab, 6 cyl., 6 spd manual, c/w canopy @ 100,000 kms. Asking \$9,000. 1985 GMC Vandura 3500 Motorhome, 22 ft., good shape. Asking \$7,000. Phone 569-8866. **•For Sale-Danby** Fridge \$125.00, Hot Point Dryer \$200.00 Ph:569-2778. **•For Rent-Basement** Bachelor Suite. No Smoking, No Drugs. References required. Ph:569-2778. **•For Sale-2005** M7 Arctic Cat Snowmobile, 153" track, low hours. \$9000. Phone 569-7111. **•For Sale or Rent-12x60** Trailer, 2 bedroom. Phone 569-2446. **•For Sale-Computer Monitor-excellent** condition \$25. Large capacity washer & dryer \$450 (washer has new transmission. Old style phone (new) \$35. Chester Fried Chicken Deep Fryer w/ built in exhaust (on casters) \$1000.00. 4 ft. Glass Heated Display Case w/ trays and racks \$500.00. 12' Aluminum Deep Hull Boat w/ motor \$750.00. 1979 Yamaha GS850 Shaft Driven Streetbike (90% restored) \$1000.00. Eyes. 569-0105. **•For Rent-2** Bedroom House. Reference Required Ph:1-250-569-0308. **•For Sale-1994** F250 Powerstroke turbo with F350 drivetrain. New clutch and flywheel. \$6500. 8 Person Hot Tub with cedar skirting, new pumps and heater element. \$2000. Phone 1-250-553-2300. **•For Sale-1995** Ford F150XL 167000 km, One Owner \$5000. o.b.o. / Horse Trailer - 2 Horse \$600. o.b.o. Ph: 569-0174. **•To place an ad here call 569-3110, Fax 569-0220 or drop info at 455 King Street.**

## CHURCH NEWS N' THINGS

**Anglican United Church - Downtown Thrift Store** on Dominion Street. - Mens, ladies and children's clothing - Open: Tues. 1:00 to 3:00 - Sat. 10:00 to 12:00. **Dorcas** is OPEN Tuesdays 1pm-3pm. Phone 569-3186. **Contact number for the Foodbank** is 569-3186. **Seventh-day Adventist Church-Meet** Saturdays at 9:30 & 11am. and Wednesdays at 7p.m. Phone: Ph:569-3370. **Memonte Church-Meet** Sundays 11am and 7:30pm & Wednesdays at 7:45pm Ph:569-0445. **Mountain Chapel (PAOC)-Sunday** School & Adult Classes-10am, Services-11am. Ph:569-3350. **Anglican United Church-** 441 Dominion Street. Meet Sundays at 9:00 am. Phone 569-3206 or 569-3386. Hall Rental contact Dorothy Simpson 569-3343. **Evangelical Free Church-** Sunday School at 9:45am., Sunday Worship Service at 11:00am. Ph:569-2378 or 569-8845. Pastor Dan Carlaw. **Robson Valley Christian Centre-Meets** in home Sundays 11am. Dunster Ph:968-4335. **St. Patrick's Catholic Church-Meets** Sundays at 11:00am Ph:569-2606. "Catholic Faith for Adults" inquiry class. Contact Sr. Olive.

**Via-Rail Schedule** Phone 1-888-842-7245  
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Going East - Monday, Thursday, Saturday...12:03pm  
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R.C.M.P.	569-2255	Village	569-2229
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Health Unit	569-2251	Home Support	569-2266
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School District 57	569-4414	The Little McBride Paper	569-3110
Report Forest Fires	1-800-663-5555		

Inquiry B.C. 1-800-663-7867 - For Toll Free Calling to Provincial Numbers ...  
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## Angels Say

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We will be CLOSED  
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Bob

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