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JOKE OF THE WEEK

What did the horse say when he fell?

‘I’ve fallen and I can’t giddy up!’

### Cheryl Sansom Award

Each year we award a trophy in memory of our friend and long time member of the Fall Fair Association, Cheryl Sansom. The Criteria are Citizenship & Community Service. Do you know anyone who, like Cheryl, made this Valley a better place to live? She always had a cheerful word, and was very involved in the Fall Fair, Minor Hockey, Ball, School, events and other organizations. She made our Valley a more enjoyable and diversified place to be. If you know anyone like this that you would like to nominate, send a written submission listing this person's attributes by August 25 to the Robson Valley Fall Fair Association, Box 441, McBride, B.C. V0J 2E0. Must be in by August 1st, 2008.

Fall Fair Booklets available at The McBride Trading Co. - You will need one to get your entry forms for your exhibit. Start planning now in what you would like to enter this year - Anybody can participate - August 15 & 16. See You There!!!

### Quiz for all you smart people!!

1. Name the one sport in which neither the spectators nor the participants know the score or the leader until the contest ends.
2. What North American landmark is constantly moving backward?
3. Of all vegetables, only two can live to produce on their own for several growing seasons. All other vegetables must be replanted every year. What are the only two perennial vegetable?
4. What fruit has its seeds on the outside?
5. In many liquor stores, you can buy pear brandy, with a real pear inside the bottle. The pear is whole and ripe, and the bottle is genuine; it hasn't been cut in any way. How did the pear get inside the bottle?
6. Only three words in standard English begin with the letters " dw" and they are all common words. Name two of them.
7. What are the 14 punctuation marks in English grammar.
8. Name the only vegetable or fruit that is never sold frozen, canned, processed, cooked, or in any other form except fresh.
9. Name 6 or more things that you can wear on your feet beginning with the letter "S."

#### Answers To Quiz:

1. Boxing
2. Niagara Falls (The rim is worn down about two and a half feet each year because of the millions of gallons of water that rush over it every minute.)
3. Asparagus and rhubarb.
4. Strawberry.
5. It grew inside the bottle. (The bottles are placed over pear buds when they are small, and are wired in place on the tree. The bottle is left in place for the entire growing season. When the pears are ripe, they are snipped off at the stems.)
6. Dwarf, dwell and dwindle.
7. Period, comma, colon, semicolon, dash, hyphen, apostrophe, question mark, exclamation point, quotation marks, brackets, parenthesis, braces, and ellipses.
8. Lettuce.
9. Shoes, socks, sandals, sneakers, slippers, skis, skates, snowshoes, stockings, stils.

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### Village of McBride Official Community Plan Bylaw Open House

The Council of the Village of McBride is providing residents an opportunity to review the "Village of McBride Official Community Plan Bylaw". We would like to provide the residents of McBride with an opportunity to come and take a look at the Draft version of the revised Community Plan. We will once again be having an Open House for anyone interested in coming in to look at the final draft version of the Official Community Plan Bylaw.

The "Village of McBride Official Community Plan Bylaw" Open House will be held on:  
Wednesday, August 6, 2008  
5:00p.m. - 6:00p.m.

Village of McBride Council Chambers  
100 Robson Centre - 855 SW Frontage Road  
McBride, BC

Please drop in and take an opportunity to view the proposed Official Community Plan.

For information, please contact:

Eliana Clements  
Chief Administrative Officer  
Village of McBride  
(250)569-2229



I've also got some waterfront property in the desert if your interested!

Community Calendar sponsored by the Village of McBride and the McBride and District Chamber of Commerce

McBride & District

August 2008

Community Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>3</b> CHURCHES MUSEUM/LIBRARY Open all summer: 9am - 6pm Monday-Sunday plus 7pm - 9pm Tuesday SUMMER PROGRAMS - CALL THE LIBRARY FOR INFO SDA FOOD BANK: PHONE 569-3225	<b>4</b> Hospital Auxiliary mting @ MDH VFD mting @ Fire Hall	<b>5</b> AUCW Thrift Shop DORCAS Used Clothing TOPS @ HiltUnit McBride Village Council Meeting	<b>6</b> Don't miss all of the Festivals, Fairs and Farmers Markets in McBride this August - mark your calendar and come on out for some family fun!	<b>7</b> OAPO Stitch & Knit Dome Ck Reading Room Sis Bingo @ BVLodge	<b>1</b> Farmers Market 12-3pm @ Village Park SDA Church 10am-noon AUCW Thrift Shop Heritage Festival Dinner and much more!	<b>2</b> SDA Church 10am-noon AUCW Thrift Shop Farmers Market 10am-12pm @ Dunster
<b>10</b> CHURCHES	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Farmers Market 12-3pm @ Village Park Fall Fair	<b>16</b> SDA Church 10am-noon AUCW Thrift Shop Farmers Market 10am-12pm @ Dunster
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Wed Closed

TRANSFER STATION HOURS MON/TUES/THURS/FRI - 9-5 SAT/SUN - 10-4 STAT HOLIDAY

10-2

McBride Recreation Centre - Open Call 569-3360 for more information on programs or go to www.rdtfg.bc.ca and follow the links

Phone: McBride Visitor Centre, 569-3366, or email details to: come2mcbride@telus.net

May Calendar deadline: August 28, 2008

August 17th

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know. The more that you learn,  
the more places you'll go."  
- Dr. Seuss, "I Can Read With My Eyes Shut"

**ODE TO MCBRIDE**

There's a village in the Rockies  
So small and serene  
Thirty years ago  
It was unbeknownst to me.  
I came with my husband  
With two kids in tow  
Looking for adventure  
A new place to go.  
At Vancouver Tim got the call  
To teach in McBride  
We thought in the suburbs of  
Prince George we'd abide.  
With eager anticipation we boarded the plane  
Only to discover we'd still need  
A bus or a train.  
When finally arriving all dusty and hot  
It was the friendliness of the people  
That meant such a lot.

From city to country can be  
Quite a transition  
But for the Dums it turned out to be  
A very good decision.  
We liked it so much we decided to stay  
And raise our family in the McBride way.

We'll give it a couple of years we said  
And then back to Vancouver to family we'll head.  
Well, the years passed and friendships were forged.  
Another child born, no time to be bored.  
Our lives were fulfilled with work, family, and friends.  
The hockey, oh the hockey, so many weekends.  
Our teaching careers each came in turn  
We were young and idealistic  
And had a lot to learn  
But where have the years gone  
It's been almost thirty  
Since we took that fateful trip  
From the big city.

We thank you McBride for the good times you've shared.  
For the wonderful Valley and the people who cared.

-Marian Dunn

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