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For the week of *Wednesday, December 25th, 2013*

NOTICE

For the New Years Deadline, it will be Sunday, December 29, as we will be delivering Tuesday the 31. Sorry for the inconvenience and thank you.
Oscar and Broom

CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER?

Alone for Christmas? Single, couples, or families who have none else to share Christmas Day with. Just 1 Sleep to go until McBride's first FREE community Christmas Day Dinner. TIME: 4pm. PLACE: E-Free Church. Sponsored by Community Members of McBride. Need a ride? Shut-in? Senior at home needing food delivery? Call Muriel at 250-569-0037 or Wendy at 250-569-2672 and we'll see what we can arrange. Bring a board-game, a song to sing, a poem to read...

DORGAS NEWS

The Dorgas is closed now until January 7, 2014. We thank all for donations through the year and the volunteer sorters. Any emergencies call #'s in the paper. We wish you a Merry Christmas and Blessings in New Year 2014.

NEW YEAR'S DANCE

Bring in the New Year and come out and dance away the evening with DJ "Good Vibrations" at the McBride Elks and Royal Purple New Year's Dance followed by a midnight lunch on Tuesday, December 31st at the McBride Elks Hall from 9:00pm - 2:00am. Cost is \$15.00/person. Tickets are available at McBride AG Foods, Robson Valley Home Housewares and The Farm Store. Must be 19 or over to attend. Designated drivers will be available. If you are interested in working a shift at the dance, either serving refreshments, selling tickets or helping out with the midnight lunch, please contact Kathy Molendyk at 250-569-3239.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE DOWNTOWN THRIFT STORE - We will open again on Tues., Jan. 7, 2014. We "Thank You" everyone who support our store either in the giving or the buying to help us out.
-McBride Ang/United Church Women-

Minor Hockey Parents are looking for individuals who are willing to be hired for concession. Food Safe is recommended. It's \$10/hour, must be 16 yrs. age or older for when the grill is on, or min. 14 years of age for turns when grill is not on. Please contact Kristine Drader 250-569-7907.

The Dry Grad Trip 2014 is going to Alaska! If you have any odd jobs to help with fundraising please contact Christine Monroe at (250)569 0090. We appreciate the support of our community!! **Graduation Dinner Caterer Needed!** This year's graduation class will be holding their grad on Saturday, June 21, 2014 at the Robson Valley Recreation Centre. We are looking for a caterer for approx. 450-500 people. Bid to include menu plan, (recommended to submit 2-3 menu options, either a hot or cold menu will be considered depending on cost) copy of Caterer's License and references to be submitted to the McBride Secondary School by Fri., Feb. 1, 2014. If you have any questions, please call the school at 250-569-2295. **Country Turners Square Dancing** (Reprised), McBride Elementary School, Thursdays at 7:00pm. All ages / All Levels. Come out and learn to square Dance, or teach others what you know. (NO COST).

Yellowhead Ski Club News

Winter is here and the ski trails are nearly ready to go. You can now check out trail conditions, ski club news, download membership forms, and more on our facebook page: facebook.com/yellowheadskiclub. The Yellowhead Ski Club would like to thank the following groups for their ongoing financial support of the club: the McBride Community Forest Corporation, the Fort George Regional District, and the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations. The club would also like to thank Tony Rykers and Dave L'Arrivee for building the new stairs for the Pine Lake Cabin, Lloyd Sanson for his ongoing support with our snow machine and local contractors for plowing Belle Mountain Road, brushing our trail system and packing our trails. We couldn't do it without you. Membership forms are available at the McBride and District Public Library or by calling 250-569-7685 or emailing yellowheadskiclub@hotmail.com. Pine Lake Cabin rental - email yellowheadskiclubcabin@gmail.com. We hope to see you out on the trails this winter.

BIRTHDAY WISHES DECEMBER 25 - 31

Shara Gustafson, Shawn Sullivan, Daniel Redman, Lester Biouin, Robert Johnson, Darrell Roth, Eliana Clements, Gladys ShueLL, Jamie Molendyk, Lauren Monroe, Sarah Onischak, Arlo Johnson, Brianna Taylor, Jonas Keirn, Martina Jobson, Matthew Slaney, Kris Tomson, Melva Phillips, Stacey Pleasants, Thomas McLean, and to any one else we missed, Happy Birthday.

Via-Rail Schedule varail.ca Phone 1-888-842-7245
Going West - Sunday, Wednesday & Friday...2:44pm
Going East - Monday, Thursday, Saturday...1:48pm
Discounts for 1 or 3 days advance booking.

Important Phone Numbers

EMERGENCY 9-1-1 Gov't Services BC... 569-3760
R.C.M.P. 569-2255 Village 569-2229
Hospital..... 569-2251 Reg'l Dist'1-800-667-1959
Health Unit..... 569-2251 Home Support..... 569-2266
K to 7 School..... 569-2721 Fire Hall..... 569-3186
High School..... 569-2295 Fire Hall..... 569-3117
School District 57 Dental Office The Little McBride Paper
1-800-256-7857 (250) 569-3434 569-3110
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Dial this Number 1st and ask operator to connect you to provincial department.

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Season Greeting from all the staff
at McBride AG Foods.
Dec. 24: 6:15a.m. - 5:00p.m.
Christmas Day, Dec. 25 - **CLOSED**
Dec. 26: 6:15a.m. - 5:00p.m.

Advantage Insurance Services Ltd.
Rosemary L. Hruby, CAIB
Holiday Hours: 250-569-2264
Dec. 24 ... 8:30-3:00
Dec. 25 ... Closed
Dec. 26 ... Closed
Dec. 27 ... 8:30-6:00
Dec. 28 ... 10:00-3:00
Have a Safe and Happy Christmas!

FIREWOOD FOR SALE \$140 a cord, split 100 round.

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DNG Developments For Sale

- 2010 Chev Equinox, 2.4 litre, leather, #9608, \$15000.00
- 2010, Chev Malibu, 2.4 litre, leather, 90,000km, #0430, \$9,995.00.
- Call 250-569-0343 for more information.

Rent - a - Chef

GOLDEN PALATE LTD.
Chef Valerie Marcoff
250-569-0113
marcoff1@telus.net

MORELS

NEW HOURS
Tuesday to Sunday 8am-2pm & 5pm-8pm
Closed Mondays

HOLIDAY HOURS
December 24 8am-2pm
December 25 & 26 Closed

---Check out our **SPECIALS** on New Years Eve---
We will be serving a **New Years Day Brunch** on January 1 from 10am-2pm
Wisting everyone a

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the Staff at MORELS

Christmas Yours
December 24 8am-2pm
December 25 & 26 **CLOSED**
December 27 6am-5pm
December 28 **CLOSED**
December 29 **CLOSED**
December 30 6am-5pm
December 31 8am-2pm
January 1 **CLOSED**
January 2 8am-5pm

Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Open M-F:6-5pm, Sat:9-5pm, Sun. & Stat:Closed 250-569-0133

REALLY NICE STONENWORK!!!
CALL Adam Rodt Stonecraftery
250-569-6809 adamrodtventures@gmail.com
"Rocking the Robson Valley!"

Adam's also looking for any odd job this winter. Handy-man extraordinaire but also great at dumb labor! Give me a call at 569-6899. Thank you!



School District No. 57 (Prince George) is seeking applicants for uncertified teacher replacements in the Robson Valley at both the elementary and secondary schools. Some post secondary education and/or experience working with children and youth is required.

The salary is \$192.62 per day.
To find out more about this opportunity and to discuss your suitability, contact Mr. Kenkel, principal of Valemount Secondary(250) 566-4431 or Mr. Shaw, principal of McBride Secondary (250) 569-2295.

WHISTLE STOP GALLERY

Whistle Stop Holiday Hours
December 25/26 Closed
December 27 Open 10am-2:30pm
January 1st Closed
Regular hours: 10am-4pm

Come in and see out what our 95 local artists have been making for you!



OPEN DAILY AT THE TRAIN STATION McBride Employment Services Centre DECEMBER WORKSHOPS

December 27 10am-12 noon

Resume Ready

Celebrate the Holidays with a shiny new resume!
Robson Valley Support Society
Everyone welcome!



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New Merry Christmas



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Take Susy home for Christmas!

- Do you know someone who would enjoy a doll and cradle?
- Come into the RVIM and see Susy.
- Quiet Breezes #6 will be open 7 days a week in Dec. when you purchase a gift from #6, you may enter a draw for Susy.
- She will go home with some lucky person.



Draw date Dec. 23.



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FAMILY BREAKFAST BUFFET
FRIDAY - SATURDAY - SUNDAY
7AM - 10 AM

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Everyone can enjoy the Gigglin' Grizzly's one-of-a-kind breakfast buffet located in our banquet facility.

Buffet Features:

- fresh fruits ~ bagels ~ muffins ~ breakfast scrambles
- breakfast wraps ~ scrambled eggs ~ eggs benedict
- bacon ~ sausage ~ ham ~ country style potatoes
- waffles ~ french toast ~ pancakes ~ yogurt ~ oatmeal
- cereals ~ juices ~ coffee ~ tea ~ hot chocolate
- **DIFFERENT VARIETY OF FOOD EACH TIME**
- **\$ 15.00 Adults (taxes included)**
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TIMBER SUPPLY REVIEW

The Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations released a public discussion paper as part of a comprehensive timber supply review for the Robson Valley timber supply area. The public discussion paper, along with relevant input received from the public, stakeholders and First Nations, will support the Chief Forester's decision on a new allowable annual cut for the timber supply area. The Public Discussion Paper is available online at: <http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/htfs/sal7/index.htm> from the district office: from Norma Stromberg-Jones (address, phone and email noted below). You are invited to review the document and provide comments by February 3, 2014. By email: Norma.Strombergjones@gov.bc.ca By mail: Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, McBride Field Office, 300 Robson Centre, Box 40, McBride, BC V0J 2E0. Attention: Norma Stromberg-Jones.

BUY, SELL, RENT & MISC.

For Sale-Yellow older stove, works OK, \$50. 2 seat love couch & chair, fair shape, \$50. 4 Yokahama winter tires on Sunfire rims, used 2 winters, good tread, \$100. Phone Perry 569-0403. **For Sale**- Fresh farm eggs (\$3.25) 569-7764 Noah and Ezra. **For Sale**-2002 RM 80 jr Suzuki \$150; 14" studded winter tires \$100. 569-7764. **For Sale**-4 studded tires 195/65 R15, \$100, 4 winter car floor mats \$40, 4 hubcaps for Freestar Van \$10, keyboard & Monitor + mouse \$50 o.b.o. Ph: 250-569-0344. **For Sale**-11 boxes of Cedar laminate flooring with underlay, 226 sq. ft. please Ph: 569-2672. **For Sale**-Kemmure dishwasher \$100, in good shape. Ph: 569-0395. **For Sale**-1999 Chev Blazer LS. 186,250 km. Good condition inside and out. Well maintained. Full power accessories. Light Force spots. Asking \$5,000 open to reasonable offers. Ph: 250-569-3343. **For Sale**-350 Honda 4x4 2002 Deluxe Model, electric hand warmers, lift kit, one size bigger tires & rims, which, excellent condition, asking \$3500.00 o.b.o. Ph: 250-569-0260. **For Sale**-Locally, naturally grown Red hard spring wheat (no chemical) for baking nutritious bread, etc. Also feed wheat available for your pigs, chickens, etc. Will grind feed upon request. Contact Tim @ 569-0012, cell 569-7638. **For Sale**- Round Hay, under cover. Call Vince at 250-961-9136. **For Sale**-2006 Ford F250 4x4 Crew Cab Short Box, 184k \$6000. Ph: Les 778-258-0034. **For Sale**-APEX Catalatic Combustor Wood Furnace, exc. cond., like new, \$2300 obo. Phone or Text 250-569-7112. **For Sale**-4 Chev pick-up 16 inch - 6 bolt alloy rims. Nice shape, \$200. Call Chuck 968-4400. **For Sale**-Clothes Dryer \$100 Ph: 569-2672. **For Sale**-2004 Toyota Echo - 5-speed manual, 5-door hatchback in excellent shape inside and out. 145000km. Silver exterior, grey interior. 2nd owner, never smoked in, no pets. Oil changed every 5000km, all service records/receipts. Amazing mileage - 5.1L/100km (48mpg). Includes 2nd set of 4 Toyota rims. Upgraded JVC stereo with mp3, aux input jack, CD player, remote control. Rubber floor mats, block heater. \$5800. Call or text 250-569-7685. **For Sale**-2 Bedroom renovated Mobile Home with small addition and shop on 4 acres. Nicely treed, on Dore River Road. Gravity Spring Water, Wood and Propane Heat. All appliances included. \$139,000. Ph: 569-2471. **For sale**-White GMC 3500 crewcab 4x4 V8 auto with 6x8" steel deck for parts only near Dunster for \$500 + GST call Paul at 1-780-852-4000. **Mobile home** for sale - REDUCED - #22 Mountainview Trailer Park, \$18,000, all offers considered. Call Adam Roth 250-569-6809. **For Sale**-Storage Units or Off Road Cabins - 45' enclosed transport trailer \$2,000. 35' horse trailer \$1,500. 35' travel trailer \$1,000. 19' motorhome \$750. 18' Chevy cargo van \$500. Hot tub \$250. All OBO plus GST, on Raush Valley road near Dunster, call Paul Height 1-780-852-4000. **For Sale**-14x70 Mobile Home, small addition, 2 out buildings, 2 bedroom and office/storage room, propane furnace & radiant heater, bay window & appliances. \$18,000 obo. Phone 569-7487. **To place an ad call 569-3110, Fax 569-0220 or drop info at 455 King St.**

CHURCH NEWS N' THINGS

Anglican United Church - Downtown Thrift Store on Dominion Street. Clothes and Household Goods. Open: Tues. 1:00-3:00 & Fri. 1:00-3:00. **Doras** Closed until Jan. 7. Open on Tuesdays 1-3p.m. If you have any needs call Terry 569-2479 or Carol 569-4031. **Foodbank** contact number is 569-3186. **Seventh-day Adventist Church**-Meat Saturdays at 9:30 & 11a.m. and Wednesdays at 7p.m. Phone: Ph: 569-3370. **Mennonite Church**-Meat Sundays 11am and 7:30pm & Wednesdays at 7:45pm Ph: 569-7297. **Mountain Chapel (PAOC)**- Sunday School & Adult Classes-10am, Services-11:10am. Ph: 569-3350. **Anglican United Church**-441 Dominion Street. Meet Sundays at 10:00 a.m. Phone 569-3206 or 569-3386. **Evangelical Free Church**-Worship Gathering at 10:30am. Ph: 569-2378. **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. Call to Confirm.

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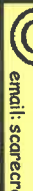
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Please contact **The Little McBride Paper** with all coming events, news, trivia, comments, anything!! Ph: 569-3110. Fax: 569-0220, email: gigness3@telus.net, P.O. Box 441, McBride, B.C. V0J 2E0 or drop off at 455 King St. If we don't know about it, we can't write about it!! -Scott & Susan Glines - Oscar & Broom All articles and ads are not the expressed opinion of this paper.

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A LITTLE THINKER...

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