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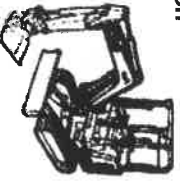
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The MFSC and the Canoe Valley Skating Club invite you to the 2019 Jamboree Exhibition on Saturday, February 2nd, 2019 from 9am to 2pm (estimated finish time) in the Robson Valley Rec Centre.

ELKS & ROYAL PURPLE NEWS

WE NEED YOUR HELP - EASTER IS COMING. Over the past several years the McBride Elks and Royal Purple in conjunction with the Valley Museum and Archives have hosted the Annual Easter Egg Hunt for 0-9 year olds. They have sponsored and provided supplies, treats and prizes for approximately 40-60 children each year. The children look forward to making their basket, collecting the candy, getting their picture with the Easter Bunny and a chance to win 1 of many prizes. We do not want to see this annual event not happen, but due to the lack of member's, we would like to pass this event on to another individual or group to organize. The Elks and Royal Purple would continue to provide the funding up to \$500.00 and the Valley Museum and Archives are willing to help with crafts. If you or your club or organization would like to organize the Annual Easter Egg Hunt (doesn't have to be the same format), please contact Kathy Molendyck at 250-569-7201 as soon as possible as Easter will be here sooner than you think!

BIRTHDAY WISHES JAN. 30 - FEB. 5

Brett Jones, Joey Rich, Shea Krenzler, Kathleen Elliott, Shane Long, Emilie Kate Rhodes, Clint Moore, Gerry Smith, Rosy Evans, Tanner Molendyck, Tedd Warner, Connor Quam, Lino Caputo, Shelley Hatchard, Matt Villeneuve, and to any we missed, Happy Birthday!

COMING EVENTS

Sno-Fest 2019! Sunday, February 3rd from 1-3pm @ the Village Park and Rec Centre. Come celebrate winter with street hockey, cross country skiing, snowshoe races, snow golf, FREE skate and skate rentals at the Arena, FREE curling at the curling rink, and FREE hot chocolate and hot dogs! All ages welcome for our fun, annual community event!

Legion Bingo February 6, 2019 - Bingo will be the 1st Wednesday of the month only.

Community Futures: Business Skills for Agricultural Expansion Workshop. Pre-Registration is Required. Friday, February 1, 5:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. - Get the Word Out to Market, Saturday, February 2 - 9:00a.m. - 5:00p.m. - Online Marketing & E-Commerce, Saturday March 2, 9:00a.m. - 5:00p.m. An Intro to Value Chain. Location: Dunster Fine Arts School, in Dunster, B.C. Phone: 250-562-9266 - Online-cfdc.bc.ca/calendar/

Community Futures - The Leadership Challenge A Wiley Brand - Leadership is Everyone's Business! Are you interested in developing your leadership skills? Or enhancing your team? If so the Leadership Challenge Workshop is for you! This FREE workshop has limited seating so register today! Pre-Registration is required, deadline February 11th. (Dinner will be provided, please notify us of any food allergies.) Valenmont: Wednesday, February 20, 2019, Evening Session: 3p.m.-9p.m. - Valenmont Learning Center. McBride: Thursday February 21, 2019, Evening Session: 3p.m.-9p.m. - McBride Library. For More information and to register: 250-562-9622 or www.cfdc.bc.ca/calendar/

Robson Valley Music Society Presents: KYM GOUCHE LIVE IN CONCERT!!!! Saturday, February 9th at the Dunster Schoolhouse. Doors @ 7:00pm. Music @ 7:30pm. Singer/Songwriter Kym Gouche is from the Liveditl T'ennet Nation in Prince George, B.C., Canada. One of Northern BC's fastest growing recognizable Indigenous Artists, Kym Gouche is fostering change through her music and art. Her voice can be heard around First Nations and woman's issues, the Highway of Tears, Red Dress Campaign, using her music for reconciliation, education and awareness. \$15 @ the door!!!
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Please contact The Little McBride Paper with all coming events, news, trivia, comments, anything!! 250-569-31110, Fax:250-569-0220, email:sgines3@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 inform the public about it! Scott & Susan Glines (Oscar & Broom)
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McBRIDE CURLING CLUB
461 Columbia Street

The McBride Curling Club welcomes anyone who would like to come out and curl. If we get enough people dropping in, we'll get a regular game going or if not, try the NEW game of Doubles curling. All you need is a clean pair of shoes to change into for on the ice. We have the rest of the equipment if you don't have any. All ages welcome. The bar will be open. Come out and meet new friends on any Friday night at 7:00 pm.

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OPEN GATE GARDEN NEWS

Open Gate Garden Annual Seedy Saturday, February 23, 2019.
More information will follow. Thank you, OGG.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

John Dunn: Ellesmere Light Expedition. Lecture & multimedia presentation on a summer crossing of Canada's northernmost island. Monday, February 11th at 7pm at the Roundhouse Theatre. By donation. Dunn is a National Geographic published photographer. Join us for an adventure of 750km in 50 days, as Dunn brings Ellesmere Island to life with stories and images from his 2010 expedition. For more information, check out www.arcticlight.com.
Are you looking for some fun? Are you looking for some exercise? Or are you looking to learn a new game? Community Volleyball is back starting Tuesday nights 630-830 grade 8 and up in the McBride Secondary gymnasium. So dust off your gym shoes and join us for some fun.

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The McBride Community Calendar is available on line at the website <https://calendar.mcbride.ca/>

LIBRARY NEWS

Ukulele Jam with Melissa is back! Fridays at 2pm. All interests welcome. Bring your Uke and we'll have a few.
Mother Goose in McBride is back, Wednesdays at 11am at the Library. Join Lotie (RVCS) and Naomi (Library) for songs, rhymes and stories! Aimed at ages 0-3 but all welcome!
Don't forget! We've got Tuesday Night Music Jam with David Marchant, 7-9pm. All welcome to bring an instrument or your singing voice. Also, Fibre Artists Meet, Thursdays at 10am. Bring your project and stitch with neighbours over coffee and tea.
Questions about anything at the library? Call us at 250-569-2411 or email Naomi at library@mcbridebc.org.

SCHOOL NEWS

MCBRIDE SECONDARY SCHOOL REUNION is quickly approaching. The event will be held on Saturday, June 1st at the McBride Community Hall. Tickets are available to purchase directly from Robson Valley Essentials, \$50/ticket, cash or cheque. E-transfers are also accepted to mcbrideschoolreunion2019@gmail.com, use password REUNION. Tickets will not be sold at the door and can not be guaranteed after April 30th. The reunion is open to anyone who either attended or graduated, staff included, during the years 1975-1990, and a guest. This is a 19+, non-formal attire, event. For more information, contact Charlene at mcbrideschoolreunion2019@gmail.com or 250-614-4874 (call or text).
STRONG START Fridays for the 2018-19 school year: newborn - 5 year olds + their caregivers; drop-in (except non-institutional-day weeks when the programme will be on Wednesdays) 8:45-11:45a.m.

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CHURGH 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***Doreas-Adventist Community Center.** Open Tues. 1:00-3:00. Contact Number 250-569-2479 **TerraFoodbank** contact number is 569-3186***Seventh-day Adventist Church-** Meet Saturdays at 9:30 & 11am. and Wednesdays at 7pm. Phone: Ph: 569-3370***Mennonite Church-Meet** Sundays 11am and 7:30pm & Wednesdays at 7:30pm Ph: 569-7297***Mountain Chapel (PAOC)-** Sunday School & Adult Classes-10am, Services-11:10am. Ph:569-3350***Anglican United Church-441** Dominion Street. 1st and 2nd Sundays in the month - Worship 9:00 am, 3rd and 4th Sundays Worship 11:30 am. Youth Group Wednesdays 3:00 to 4:30 pm. Contact Student Minister Kim McNaughton, phone 250-968-4467 or leave message at 250-569-3206.***Evangelical Free Church-**Worship Gathering at 10:30am. Ph:569-2378***St. Patrick's Catholic Church-** Meets Sundays at 11:00am. Ph:569-2606. Call to Confirm.

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- Economic Development Action Plan
- Council's Strategic Plan
- Robson Valley Arena & Community Centre Survey results
- Land Use Planning
- Financial Update
- 2019 Budget (complete a Survey)
- Robson Valley Region (RVR)



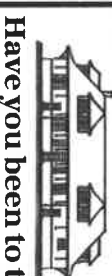
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