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LEGION NEWS

Bingo - Wednesday, September 6th, 2023 on Main Street between 1st and 2nd Avenue. 6:00pm. Games Start at 6:30pm. This will be our last Street Bingo.

The McBride Royal Canadian Legion Branch #75 has no set hours of operation. We do however rent the hall for small functions. The Contact person is Dennis Rejman at 250-569-2692. We have a Legion Meeting on the first Tuesday of each month (except July and August). Meetings start at 7:00 pm. Please contact us if you would like to be a member.

YARD SALE

Multi Family Yard sales in subdivision Saturday, September 9 from 9am - 3pm, Starting at Chipka's on Dominion street onward. Will be cancelled only if weather is?

POKER RIDE

Robson Valley chapter Backcountry Horsemen 11th annual poker ride at McIntosh Equine Campground and Recreation Site 12 km west of McBride on Saturday September 16th. A 3 hour ride with dinner following. The public is welcome to attend. Registration 10am, Riders out at 11am. Last rider out at Noon. Food service 3pm. Poker Hand including dinner \$25 (cash only) for participating riders and ghost riders. Additional hands \$10. Dinner only \$10. Children must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or individual named on the BCHBC Named alternate form signed by the parents prior to the event. Contact to obtain forms or general inquiries: bdawnhickerty@gmail.com

GANDIDATES MEET & GREET

McBride & District Chamber of Commerce and McBride & District Library are co-hosting a meet and greet for the community and candidates for Council, Kat Vickery and Tina Bennett, on Tuesday, September 12th, 2023 from 6pm to 8pm at the Library location on Main Street. Please plan to attend, meet your new candidates - support them, the Chamber and the Library.

GOMING EVENTS

O.A.P.O. Seniors Birthday Tea at the Beaverview Lodge, Wednesday, September 13, 2:00 - 3:00p.m. Cake, Coffee or Tea

Uncomfortable Conversations: How to Navigate Uncomfortable Conversations. The first of four sessions facilitated by Susan Umstot and Rev. Kim McNaughton will take place on Friday, September 8 at 5pm in the McBride Library. All are welcome. Questions? Call Kim at 250-968-4467.

2nd Annual Tour de Read Road - Family Bicycle Rally. SAT., SEPT. 9, 8AM, FREE, DUNSTER HALL. 4km, 10km or 20km options. Ice Cream, Fresh Drinks and Door Prizes. Family: \$25, Adult: \$15, Youth: \$5. Dunster Farmers Market to follow with Local Burgers! T-Shirt pre-ordering: dunsterfass@gmail

Three Valleys Community Development Cooperative is having the second apple pressing of the season on Sunday, September 10th, at Dunster Community Hall from 2pm to 4pm. You must register with Pete Amyoony if you would like to bring apples for pressing. Call at 250-968-4334 or e-mail peteam@telus.net. There are a limited number of spaces at each pressing so call early for details and to reserve a space. We have double tubs for washing the apples so you can bring ground'falls.

Dome Creek Harvest Market "Fall into Christmas", September 16, 2023 from 10:00am - 2:00pm. Event to be held at Dome Creek Recreation Center and the Heritage Hall, Dome Creek. Vendors welcome, no table charge. Contact Laura: latrimble@outlook.com or 778-349-5710.

LIBRARY NEWS

Tuesday Chess Club - Taking a break until the Fall.

D&D for Teens - Tues. 6-7pm. Ages 12-18. Group is currently full, but please call if interested.

Sunshine Stories - Every Thurs. 10:30-11:00am. For 0-5s and caregivers; songs, stories and fun! In partnership with Decoda Literacy Solutions/Literacy Task Group.

Summer Book Bingo - for adults. Pick up a "bingo card" from the library and play along as you complete your summer reading! Get your entries in before Monday, 11th September to be in for a chance of winning the bag of prizes!

Weekly Adults' Programs - Fibre Artists Knit & Crochet Group (Thurs., 10am) - beginners welcome: in the library, and on-line too. Writing Group (Fri., 1:30pm) - in the library. Call 250-569-2411 for details of either program.

Collection/Delivery Service - We are still happy to prepare book/DVD/puzzle orders for you, and deliver to your doorstep. Call 250-569-2411 or email library@mcbridebc.org to place your order. Summer Library Hours - Tues. 10-8, Wed. and Thurs. 10-5, Fri. 12-8, and Sat. 12-5.

Please contact The Little McBride Paper with all coming events, news, trivia, comments, etc!! Phone: 250-569-3110, email: contact@fpas.ca, 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! And check out our website www.fpas.ca.

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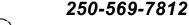


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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Quiet space available. Our cedar log church building will be available to community members who are looking for a quiet, getaway space for a couple of hours. The building, which has wifi, is available for your use on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30pm. A host person will be on site. More info? Call Kim 250-968-4467.

THE DUNSTER FARMERS MARKET from 11:00am to 1:00pm and run every Saturday until September 30th. No charge for vendors - everyone welcome! Our famous "Buy-Local Burgers" will be back again! Tell all your friends and bring them along! For more information call Pete at 250-968-4334.

McBride Community Health Services offers: Prenatal Education, Immunizations, Mental Health and Addictions Counselling, STI Testing, Well Women's Clinic, Social Work Services, and Home Support. Call 250-569-2026 to book an appointment. All Services are free and confidential.

RVGS NEWS

McBride RVCS: For more information call or email: 250-569-2266/events@rvcsbc.org. All events are located at 942 3rd Ave. McBride, and no registration is required, unless otherwise stated. MONs Family Place Drop-In is on Mondays from 9am-noon at RVCS. Join for connection with other families, parenting resources and fun for you and your 0-6 year old children. No registration required. For more information call 1-844-324-2004 or email: events@rvcsbc.org. September 11, National Play-Doh Day. September, 18, Train Safety Awareness Week. September 25, Truth and Reconciliation Awareness day in honour of National day for Truth and Reconciliation September 30.

WED September 20th All adults and seniors is invited to Drop-In Coffee House from 1-3pm at RVCS office in McBride. Come socialize, meet new people and enjoy a warm drink and snacks. No Registration required. Funded by CALP, brought to you by McBride Adult Literacy Program. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org.

MON through THURs, McBride RVCS has a FREE FOOD PANTRY that's available to all! Emergency top-up food is accessible to our clients, preschool program and anyone who walks through the door. We share and accept donated foods that are safe and fresh for use, this project is made possible thanks to grant funding from United Way of BC, and the residents of the Robson Valley! Contact RVCS at 844-324-2004 or email foodsecurity@rvcsbc.org. The local Food Bank is also available: 250-569-3186.

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CHURCH NEWS N' THINGS

McBride Evangelical Free Church on First Avenue at Lonsdale Street. Sunday worship at 10:30am. Phone 250-569-2378. •Anglican United Church - Downtown Thrift Store on Dominion Street is open Tuesdays & Fridays from 1 to 3pm. Clothes and Household Goods • Sunday worship services at McBride Anglican United Church are held at 10am for in-person worship (vaccinations not required.) All are welcome; we welcome all ages, all genders and sexual orientations, all races, all abilities, all are beloved members of God's family. We usually celebrate Communion the 3rd Sunday of each month. Minister Kim's phone 250-968-4467•Seventh-day Adventist Church Ph: 250-569-3370, Pastor Ph: 1(250)-808-7399•Adventist Community Service (Dorcas) Open Tuesdays 1-3pm. contact numbers 250-569-2479 Terri, 250-569-2527 Esther. • Foodbank contact number is 250-569-3186. • St. Patrick's Catholic Church Ph: 250-569-2606. Call to Confirm. • Mountain Chapel (POAC) at Third and Main St. McBride Services Sundays at 11am. Everyone Welcome. Ministers phone 250-569-0291.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

An election by voting is to be held to elect one (1) Councillor, and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

COUNCILLOR – One (1) to be elected		
Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
BENNETT	Tina	3 Manson Crescent, Mackenzie, B.C.
VICKERY	Kat	944 4 th Avenue, McBride, B.C.

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:

Saturday, SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2023, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at Council Chambers, 100 Robson Centre 855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC

ADVANCE VOTING will be held as follows:

Wednesday, SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2023, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at Council Chambers, 100 Robson Centre 855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC

<u>A SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITY</u> will be held for qualified electors who are patients or staff of the McBride & District Hospital, or residents of the Beaverview Lodge in McBride at the time of voting, as follows:

Friday, SEPTMEBER 29TH, 2023

McBride & District Hospital 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Beaverview Lodge 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm

ELECTOR REGISTRATION

If you are not on the list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the application form available at the voting place and making a declaration that you meet the requirements to be registered as set out below:

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

To register as a resident elector you must:

• be 18 years of age or older on general voting day Saturday, September 30th, 2023;

- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a resident of the Village of McBride on the day of registration; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

To register as a non-resident property elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day Saturday, September 30th, 2023;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a registered owner of real property in the Village of McBride for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

In addition, for non-resident property electors:

- The only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust.
- If more than one person is registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.
- In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

To register, resident electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

To register, non-resident property electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, **proof** that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, **written consent** from the other property owners.

Sherri Flynn Chief Election Officer



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