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Closed:

Saturday, December 23 - Tuesday, December 26

Closed:

Saturday, December 30 - Monday, January 1

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### Holiday Sale!

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Open till Dec. 20th:  
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www.HouseOfJasper.com/directions/

11:00-3:00



Corporation of the Village of McBride

Call for Equipment for Hire

2023/2024

The Village of McBride is generating its list of qualified equipment/operators available to work for the Village in 2023/2024 as per the Village's Equipment for Hire Policy. To register, please complete the Equipment for Hire Registration Form available at the Village office and on the Village website: <https://www.mcbride.ca/business/village-of-mcbride-tenders>.

Please submit the form along with required documents to [edo@mcbride.ca](mailto:edo@mcbride.ca) or drop at the Village office by Monday, December 4, 2023 in order to be placed on the Equipment for Hire Registry for 2024.



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Nov. 30 - Dec. 6

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# McBride Paper



Serving BC's Friendliest Town and Area since 1996!!!

For the week of Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## 11th ANNUAL FOOD BANK DAY

In Partnership with Hammar Thompson Enterprises, the Beanery 2 Bistro are sponsoring our 11th Annual Food Bank Day. On December 1 bring in or make a monetary Donation to The Robson Valley Food Bank and get your coffee on us or we will donate the cost of your coffee to them. We will also be accepting donations up to December 23rd. Thank You.

## COMING EVENTS

**Get ready!** The annual Scholastic Book Fair is open to the general public on Thursday, November 30 from 4-8pm at the McBride Centennial School Library. Books, posters, and learning accessories suitable for kids are available. All purchases earn Scholastic Dollars that can be redeemed for books and educational resources for the library.

**Legion News: Bingo & 50/50** will be on Wednesday, December 6, 2023 at the R.C. Legion Hall - 804 4th Ave. Doors open at 6p.m. Games start at 6:30 Sharp. Cash Prizes & Door Prize. Everyone Welcome. Must be 19 & up.

**McBride Big Country Snowmobile Association club meeting** Wednesday, December 6th @ 6:30pm at Welcome Home. Everyone welcome!!

**Free Community Christmas Dinner** 4pm, December 25, 2023 at the Evangelical Free Church in McBride. Once again McBride churches and community members are offering Christmas dinner for those who would like to share a meal with other community members. Looking for volunteers to help on Dec. 24 and Dec. 25 for several different tasks such as preparing vegetables, serving, clean up etc. We are also looking for donations of desserts. For more information or to volunteer, contact Pete Amyoony at 250-968-4334 or peteam@telus.net

## THANK YOU

The Royal Canadian Legion Branch #75 McBride would like to thank the Rocky Mountain Goat Newspaper for the Donation from Remembrance Day advertising campaign. We would also like to thank The Grocery People for their Contribution from their rounding up campaign.

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Auxiliary News** - Did you find the form for the Auxiliary's Community Christmas card in your mailbox? Follow the instructions to participate or bring along the form and cash to the McBride Craft Fair at the community centre on Sun Dec. 3. (Extra forms will be available). Auxiliary members will be there selling tickets for the Christmas food hamper as well, and will be ready to help you will your donation for the angel tree. Come support the Auxiliary and find out how the Auxiliary has supported the hospital in the recent past. Consider joining in the new year us to help with our important fundraising! All funds raised go to purchasing equipment for the hospital. Questions? Call/text Carol 250-569-7176 or Pat 250-569-7521.

**Covid & Flu Vaccinations** available at McBride Community Health Services, 1126 - 5th Avenue. Please call: 250-569-2026 to book an appointment.

**OAPO:** All Seniors of Robson Valley are invited to a Christmas Dinner on December 6, 2023 at 12:00 noon at the Elks Hall. Ticket are FREE which must be presented at the door. There will be Door Prizes. Tickets can be picked up Welcome Home or Beanery 2 Bistro.

**LAST CHANCE TO CLAIM FOUND** kitchen chair pad cover with leg ties, bright red, handmade. Was found neatly hanging in my tree at King St. and 4th Ave. on October 12th.

## SCHOOL NEWS

**McBride Mustangs Boys' Basketball Team** vs. EMS on Thursday, November 30th, 5:30 PM @ McBride Secondary. Admission by donation. Everyone welcome!

**McBride Secondary Winter Craft Fair.** Make sure you come out and do your early Christmas shopping on Sunday, December 3rd at the Robson Valley Community Hall from 10:00 - 4:00 p.m. Admission \$2.00. This year we have 44 vendors selling a wide variety of crafts, baking etc. for all the people on your Christmas list. Proceeds go to the McBride Secondary PAC, Sr. Girls Volleyball and Sr. Boys Basketball. There will also be a concession, raffle prizes and you can pick up your Community Calendar if you purchased one. There will be a few extras available. The Winter/Christmas Theme Cake Decorating Contest is also happening. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes available. Patrons of the Winter Craft Fair can purchase raffle tickets for each cake entered for a draw at the end of the event to take your favorite cake home. Proceeds of the cake raffle will be shared between the internal stakeholders and external stakeholders of the building of Christmas hampers needed within the community. Thank you in advance for your support!

**McBride Centennial 2023 Winter Fundraiser** - Purdy's Holiday Chocolates - Pick-up December 12-15th at McBride Centennial. If you have any questions, please contact Olivia Vizza at 250-569-2721.

Please contact **The Little McBride Paper** with all coming events, news, trivia, comments, etc!! Phone: 250-569-3110, email: [contact@fpas.ca](mailto: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](http://www.fpas.ca).

Scott & Susan (Oscar & Broom)

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**We will be closed Mon. Dec. 4th**

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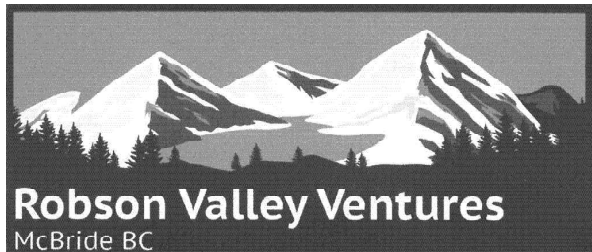


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**BIRTHDAY WISHES NOV. 29-DEC. 5**

Antonio Ynoa, Michelle Desormeau, Nicole Molendyk, Susan Glines, Jeremy Kuit, Mike Thompson, Garth Jones, James Gredling, Matthew Smathers, Kajsa Ford, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday!

**ELKS & ROYAL PURPLE NEWS**

Elks and Royal Purple Christmas Hampers. If you know of a family or individual who would benefit from receiving a Christmas Hamper this year, please call Tanya Phillips at 250-569-7788 by December 10th. Also, if you would like to make a cash donation towards the hampers, please contact Tanya. Your support in helping families and individuals in need within our community is greatly appreciated!

**RVCS 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. MON's 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. December 4 Write Santa letters wear ugly sweaters. December 11 No FPDI. December 18 Christmas Crafts. December 25 STAT Holiday No FPDI.

TUE's Come and join us in McBride for ASL Sign Language 12pm-1pm at RVCS office in McBride. Drop in for beginners to advanced. Learning a second language improves cognitive and literacy skills for all ages. Plus it is lots of fun! Brought to you by McBride Family Literacy Program For more information call 1-844-324-2004 or email: events@rvcsbc.org.

TUES ages 8 to 12 years are invited to join our Worry Dragons program happening at the RVCS office in McBride from 3:00-4:00pm starting Oct. 24 to Dec. 5. Come along with Child and Youth Mental Health Staff to tame your Worry Dragons. This program is designed to help children with anxiety learn new skills to cope with their worries. Parents will need to attend the first and last sessions and registration is required contact RVCS at 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org for more information.

WED's Youth ages 10-13 are invited to join the Youth Book Club Starting Nov. 22nd until Dec. 20th Wednesdays 3-4pm at the McBride office. Brought to you by the Family Literacy Program. Registration is required contact RVCS at 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org for more information.

WED., Nov. 29th Seniors are invited to Join us for an afternoon of collaboration, creativity and hope, crafting quilt squares in our Stitching in Solidarity event from 1-3pm at the McBride office. All supplies are provided and alternatives to sewing available. The quilt squares will be put together by our Anti-Violence team with squares created by folks across the Robson Valley who are standing up in solidarity against gender based violence. No registration required, refreshments provided. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org this project is brought to you by the Anti-Violence Program & Seniors Programs.

FRI., Dec. 1st Everyone is invited to our Economic Abuse Workshop at the McBride office from 10:30-11:30am. No registration required, refreshments provided. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org this project is brought to you by the Anti-Violence Program.

WED., Dec. 6th Everyone is invited to drop in to our Cedar Plank Words of Empowerment Workshop from 11:00am-3:00pm. Join us for an afternoon of creativity, learning and fun, making cedar wall plaques with words of empowerment, at the McBride office. We will be painting and /or using wood burners for this project. No registration required, refreshments provided. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org.

WED., Dec. 6th Everyone is invited to come and remember the 14 young women were murdered in a horrific act of gender-based violence, these 14 young women were engineering students at L'Ecole Polytechnique Montréal. We will be holding a candle light vigil at the McBride office starting at 3:45pm. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org

THUR., Dec. 7th Everyone is invited to attend our Signs of Abuse Information session at the McBride office from 11:00am-12:00pm. No registration required, refreshments provided. Contact the office for more information 1-844-324-2004 or email events@rvcsbc.org this information session is brought to you by the Anti-Violence Program.

WED., Dec. 13th Seniors are invited to join us and create a festive Christmas Wreath at the Elks Hall (172 Holdway Street) from 1:00-4:00pm. This is a free program, Funded in party by United Way, and brought to you by McBride Seniors Program. Registration is required please contact the office to sign up, or for more information: 1-844-324-2004, 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 1-844-324-2004 or email foodsecurity@rvcsbc.org. The local Food Bank is also available: 250-569-3186.

All our trains are back! Drop by McBride Station for more information! VIA Rail Schedule viarail.ca Phone:1-888-842-7245  
Going West, Train #5 - Sundays, Wednesdays, Fridays...2:44pm  
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**Important Phone Numbers**

EMERGENCY .....	9-1-1	Gov't Serv. BC	250-569-3760
R.C.M.P. ....	250-569-2255	Village .....	250-569-2229
Hospital .....	250-569-2251	Reg'l Dist' .....	1-800-667-1959
Health Unit .....	250-569-2251	RV Comm. Srv.	250-569-2266
K to 7 School ..	250-569-2721	Food Bank .....	250-569-3186
High School .....	250-569-2295	Fire Hall .....	250-569-3117
	The Little McBride Paper		250-569-3110
BC BUS...844-564-7494	Report Forest Fires -		1-800-663-5555
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## ATTEND A FREE INTRO SESSION

TUES, DECEMBER 12, 2023

**AT 7:00 PM**

MCBRIDE SECONDARY SCHOOL  
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MCBRIDE, BC

**250-968-4493**

**rpk12305@gmail.com**

# VILLAGE OF MCBRIDE



## **Notice of Annual Meeting** *(Part of the Regular Council meeting)*

**As per Section 98 of the Community Charter,  
consideration of the Village of McBride  
2022 Annual Municipal Report and submissions and  
questions from the public will be held on:**

**Tuesday, December 12, 2023 @ 7:00 PM  
Council Chambers**

**The Annual Municipal Report is available for public  
inspection on the Village of McBride website. A printed  
copy is also available in the office.**

**<http://www.mcbride.ca/village-office/annual-reports>**

**Please contact the Village office at 250-569-2229  
if you require a copy or have any questions.**



Village of McBride

PUBLIC NOTICE

DRAFT COUNCIL PROCEDURE NO. 823, 2023

The Village of McBride is proposing an amendment to Council Procedure Bylaw No. 771, 2017 to change the start time for Regular Council Meetings from 7:00 pm to 6:00 pm.

Residents can provide input in person, or they can write a letter, email, call or fax. The Draft Council Procedure No. 823, 2023 is available on the Village of McBride ICompass site at: https://mcbride.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/22783, or at the Village office. Alternatively, you can contact the Village Office at 250-569-2229 and request an electronic version be sent to you.

The Village of McBride municipal office is located at 100 Robson Centre, 855 SW Frontage Rd., McBride. Hours open to the public are Monday – Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, except Wednesdays 10 am - 4:30 pm. Responses must be received by 4:00 pm, Wednesday, December 13, 2023.

Contact: Jeanette McDougall, Chief Administrative Officer / Corporate Officer Phone: 250-569-2229 Fax: 250-569-3276 Email: cao@mcbride.ca Mail: PO Box 519, McBride, BC V0J 2E0

LIBRARY NEWS

Little Moose Playschool - an early years literacy program for children aged 3-4 and their caregiver(s). At the Elementary School every Tues. and Thurs. from 9-11:30am. Running until the end of November, this is a collaboration with the Centennial Elementary School and Little Munchkins Daycare. To register your child, or to ask any questions, please call us on 250-569-2411 or email library@mcbridebc.org.

D&D for Teens - Tues. 3:30-5pm (NEW TIME). Ages 12-18. Please call for details.

Tuesday Chess Club - Tuesdays from 5-6pm. All ages and levels of ability welcome.

Community Paramedicine - Community Paramedic Rodger Peterson will be in the library to offer health checks (blood pressure, blood glucose, etc.) and health advice on Wednesday, 29th November at 1:30pm. No appointment needed.

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.

Board Teens - Thurs. 3-5pm. A drop-in session for those ages 12-18 to enjoy some of the library's many board games. Have a favourite game you like to play? Bring it along!

Book Clubs for Adults - We now have two monthly book discussion clubs for adults. Call for details! 250-569-2411.

Weekly Adults' Programs - Fibre Artists Knit & Crochet Group (NEW DAY: Wed., 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.

Winter Hours - Tues. 10-6, Wed. and Thurs. 10-5, Fri. 1-8 and Sat. 1-5

BUY, SELL, RENT & MISC.

For sale: Full size pickup headache rack. From an older model Ford, 64-in inside box measurement by 96 in Long. Well built. \$400 obo. Two bedroom, two bath home with shop and firewood storage shed. Basement. Across from the elementary school in McBride. Call 250-569-7504. For Sale: Dining room cabinet with glass shelves and doors. Asking \$395.00. Contact 250-569-4094. For Sale-Frigidaire CFEF3054UWK Range (white) and a NuTone Allure Range Hood. \$350 for the pair. Phone 250-569-3110. For Sale-New GPS locator for Cattle (China) \$120.00 Ph: 250-569-4112 Ray. For Sale-2 Storage Sheds 10x16 white metal exterior on 2 skids, 60" door. \$4,500 each. Ph: 780-903-9129. Wanted: Fridge, good condition, contact Lee Ph:778-258-7800. For Sale-2000 Ford F250 Diesel, 7.3 litre. Runs and drives fine, many new parts. Selling for parts - truck out of province, don't want to recertify. \$3,500 Firm. Ask for Lee. Ph# 778-258-7800. For Sale-Stihl and Husky chain saws, a good selection of bars and chains to get ready for firewood season. Phone Warren Ph: 250-569-7469.

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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 orientation, 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, Lamming Pit Rd. Saturday mornings. Sabbath School 9:20 to 10:45 Music, Mission and Small-group Bible Study, 6 age groups Cradle Roll to Senior. Worship Service 10:45 to 12:15. Everyone welcome. 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 2nd & 4th Sunday - Mass 11:00. All other Sundays - layed Celebration of the Word. Ph: 250-569-2606. Mountain Chapel (POAC) at Third and Main St. McBride Services Sundays at 11am. Everyone Welcome. Ministers phone 250-569-0291.

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PUBLIC NOTICE ELKS #247 PROPOSED TRANSITION TO A LIQUOR PRIMARY LICENCE

Pursuant to the Liquor Control and Licensing Act Section 38 (3) as well as the Liquor Control and Licensing Regulation Section 71 (7-10) notice is hereby given that the Council of the Village of McBride are gathering public input regarding the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks #247 proposal to transition their "Liquor Primary Club Licence" to a standard "Liquor Primary License". By removing the Club liquor licence restriction, the Elks will be able to welcome more members of the community, as there will no longer be a requirement to sign in at the front door. This change in licence will encourage new members to support the Elk's efforts promoting and serving community needs.

The Village welcomes public feedback regarding this liquor licence proposal; we ask that comments be submitted in writing before 12:00 noon, Monday, December 11, 2023 to be included in a Report to Council on December 12, 2023 Regular Council Meeting Agenda.

The Village of McBride municipal office is located at 100 Robson Centre, 855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC V0E 2J0.

Hours open to the public are Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., except Wednesdays 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Written comments may be dropped off in person, mailed to PO Box 519, McBride, BC V0J 2E0, emailed to cfo@mcbride.ca, or faxed to 250-569-3276.



Corporation of the Village of McBride Career Opportunity with the Village of McBride

The Village of McBride is seeking an experienced Public Works Manager to join our team. Public Works Manager - Under the direction of the CAO, the Manager of Public Works (exempt) is responsible for the safe and efficient delivery of a range of services in the planning, organization, control, and direction of issues related to water, sewer, roads and drainage systems, solid waste, snow clearing operations, fleet and heavy equipment management, and maintenance of public infrastructure.

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