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**Mountain View Boutique**  
265 Main St., McBride, BC

Barb from  
**McBride's Farmers Market**  
will be here on Thurs., Mar. 28th  
2pm with her  
donuts, cinnamon buns,  
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**McBride & District**  
The Village Office  
\*\*\* CLOSED \*\*\*  
Thursday, March 28, 2024

As per Council's approval at the Special Council Meeting held Monday, March 4, 2024, the Village Office will be closed for the purpose of records management and document storage. Please note that the Public Works Department will continue with normal operations on March 28, 2024.

Village Contact Information: 250-569-2229 | mcbride@mcbride.ca

**McBride & District** 250-569-2411  
**PUBLIC LIBRARY**

521 Main Street McBride, BC V0J 2E0

**WINTER HOURS**  
Tuesday 10-6  
Wednesday and Thursday 10-5  
Friday 1-8  
Saturday 1-5

library@mcbridebc.org mcbride.bc.libraries.coop

**FREE The little FREE**

**McBride Paper**

Serving BC's Friendliest Town and Area since 1996!!!  
For the week of Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**NOTICE**

As we have to print early for the April 3rd edition of The Little McBride Paper, we ask any ad changes or submissions be submitted by Friday, March 29 at the latest. -Thank you, Broom & Oscar.

**THANK YOU**

Pat, Karen, and Melody Andrews want to thank our wonderful community for your unprecedented outpouring of support and help in the recent loss of our home. We are amazed and humbled at the way everyone has reached out with anything that is in their hand, to meet our immediate and longer-term needs during this difficult time... We are privileged to be a part of such a caring community!

**BINGO**

Legion News: Bingo & 50/50 Wednesday, April 3, 2024 in the Royal Canadian Legion Hall, 805 4th Ave. Doors open at 6pm Games Starts at 6:30 Sharp. Cash Prizes & Door Prize. Everyone welcome, must be 19 & up. The Progress Bingo Jackpot is estimated over \$500.00.

**CHAMBER NEWS**

McBride & District Chamber of Commerce invites community stakeholders to discuss ideas, issues, opportunities, projects, and potential for our area. We can greatly increase our chance of success if we communicate, cooperate, and support each other. Together we are stronger!

Next meeting - Tuesday, April 16th at 7pm in the McBride Curling club meeting space. See you there!

**CHURCH GOING EVENTS**

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH** - You are invited to prepare for the great Feast of Easter by celebrating the Holy Triduum (The Three Days) at St. Patrick's Church. Holy Thursday (March 28) at 7:00p.m. Vigil of the Passion, Washing of Feet. Good Friday (March 29) at 3:00p.m. The Passion of Christ, Veneration of the Cross. Easter Vigil (March 30) at 8:00p.m. Celebration of Light, Thanksgiving for Baptism. Easter Sunday (March 31) at 11a.m. The Resurrection of the Lord.

**Join us in Holy Week.** Good Friday Walk, March 29, 10am at McBride Anglican United Church, 459 Dominion Street and 3pm in-person Good Friday service at Valemount Anglican United Church, 1175 - 7th Avenue. Easter Sunday, March 31, we will celebrate with a sunrise service at 8am at the Marsh in Valemount and 10am in-person service and potluck at Dunster Schoolhouse. All are welcome. Rev. Kim at 250-968-4467.

**CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

The family will be celebrating James E. Harte's life on Friday, April 5, 2024 at the Evangelical Church, 1:30 pm. Dads favourite meal was desserts/treats so please come share yours or have a treat with us afterwards.

**LIBRARY NEWS**

**One-to-one help** - Provided by our Literacy Outreach Coordinator, Cathy. Cathy can help with forms and other paperwork, or internet queries, etc. Every second Wednesday morning, from 10:30am-12pm. Do you know someone who would like to be read to? Not all books have been made into audiobooks, but Cathy can read any favourites to interested adults or children. Please call us for details or to set up an appointment.

**Miniatures Painting Workshop** - Next one is Sat., 23rd March, 1:30-3:30pm. Ages 10+. Please call to register: 250-569-2411.

**D&D for Teens** - Tues. 3:30-5pm. Ages 12-18. Please call for details.

**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, on Thursday afternoons. Call for details! 250-569-2411.

**Weekly Adults' Programs** - Fibre Artists Knit & Crochet Group (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.

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

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  
Going East, Train #6 - Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays...12:18pm  
Dome car included! Baggage car - bikes, caged pets, kayaks (fees apply).

**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	
Inquiry B.C.-1-800-663-7867 - For Toll Free Calling to Provincial Numbers ...			
Dial this Number 1st and ask operator to connect you to provincial department.			

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**ROBSON VALLEY DRYWALL SERVICES**

Board and Tape 778-201-7114  
@robsonvalleydrywallservices

If two former rivals,  
the United States and the Vatican join forces,  
what could be the results?  
Contact Bible Truth.  
Phone 250-569-7077. Box 185, McBride. B.C.

**VALLEY MUSEUM & ARCHIVES**  
Over 100 years of telephones  
on display!

Posts & Party Lines ~  
a journey through 20th century  
telecommunications.

**FREE ADMISSION!**  
Open 11-4pm Every Tuesday to Friday

**Happy Easter!!**

We will be closed for Family Holidays  
Good Friday & Easter Monday!!  
See You Tuesday, April 2nd

Open Late Fridays Until 7:00

**Uncle Mark's Specialty Market**  
A Local & Organic Grocery Store & More!!  
Jerky, Sausage, Produce, Baking, Dairy, Bulk Goods  
926 - 1st Ave, McBride (250) 569-3003  
eat@unclemarks.ca www.unclemarks.ca

Open Mon to Thursday 10 - 5 & Fri to 7pm

**JNR AUTO** 250-569-2666  
1021 SE Frontage Road

LICENSED AUTOMOTIVE & DIESEL MECHANIC  
We will be closed March 29 & April 1.  
**Have a Happy Easter**

MONDAY to FRIDAY 8:30am - 4:30pm  
SATURDAY & SUNDAY - CLOSED

**HORSESHOE LAKE VENTURES**  
377 Main Street McBride, B.C.  
250-569-0075

**STIHL Spring Sale on Now!**

- Feed and Farm Supplies
- Dog and Cat Food
- Full Hydraulic Hose and Fitting Supply
- Agricultural Parts/Repair
- Automotive Parts/Accessories

**WHISTLE STOP GALLERY**  
250-569-8891

Did you know that most of the public art you see in McBride has been sponsored and created by Whistle Stop Gallery artists? We have over 100 local artists and crafters showing their work in the Gallery and working to make the Robson Valley beautiful. Visit the Gallery and see how our artists and artisans are helping build community through culture!  
Open 10am to 5pm daily in the train station



## WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

WED. - SMOKY BACON MAC & CHEESE/BUN  
THURS. - HOMEY BURGER DAY!  
DON'T MISS OUT - CALL AHEAD TO RESERVE  
FOR DINE-IN OR TAKE OUT

WE WILL BE CLOSED MAR. 29TH THRU APR. 1ST  
FOR EASTER BREAK.

HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY LONG WEEKEND.

Monday - Saturday - 8:30am - 4 pm  
Follow us on Facebook - fb.me/youarewelcomehome  
Call us - 250-569-0215

**Heartland** 250-569-0032

**RESTAURANT**

*Seeking Cooks & Servers*  
Please Apply with Resume

## WAHOO ENTERPRISES

820-1st Ave. 250-569-0320

Are you somebody looking to get out of the house  
1 or 2 days a month and make a little money  
at the same time?

Then look no further! Wahoo Enterprises is looking  
for someone to work 1 or 2 shifts, 6 hours each shift,  
per month, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Tuesdays to Saturdays.

If you think you might be a good fit,  
then please drop off a resume to 820-1st Avenue.

Easter Weekend Hours:

Closed Good Friday, open Saturday regular hours.



**"The Friendly Little Truck!!"**

We rent nice Porta Potties too!! : )

## Robson Valley Septic

Dome Creek, McBride, Valemount, Blue River - 250-569-7812

## ROBSON VALLEY IDA TELEPHARMACY

We are open Monday-Friday 9-5

Closed Saturday & Sunday

www.robsonvalleyidapharmacy.com

250-569-8811

#3 - 411 Main Street, McBride

## Robson Valley IDA

now has  
**Easter  
Goodies  
in stock!**

Robson Valley IDA will be Closed  
Friday, March 29 for Good Friday  
and Monday, April 1 for Easter.

## CHIMNEY CLEANING

Full Service Pipe & Stove

\$100 plus \$20.00 gas for there and back.

Phone: 250-968-4370

## FOREVER PRINTING & SIGNS

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**THE LITTLE McBRIDE PAPER**

for more information please contact

Scott or Susan at 250-569-3110

or email: contact@fpas.ca

website: www.fpas.ca

**Me & Bobby  
McBee**



Personal Income Tax  
Services

Starting March 1st regular hours are 10 am - 3 pm,

Monday to Friday at the McBee office

532 Main Street, McBride.

For more information or to book your appointment  
call Bobby-Jo at 250-569-7319

NOW is the time to  
collect and organize  
your important tax  
documents such as T-4,  
T-5 and other T slips  
along with  
medical receipts,  
travel, tuition fees, etc.

## BIRTHDAY WISHES MAR. 27-APR. 2

Charlene Jones, Dian Monroe, Kayden Bassani, Travis Feltham  
Ondang, Alison Moore, Emmitt Baumbach, Jaxon Franke, Joseph  
Rich, Laura-Lea Peck, Taylor Easterbrook, Becca Thompson, Ambia  
Monteverde Phillips, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday!

## ELKS/ROYAL PURPLE NEWS

ELKS AND ROYAL PURPLE NEEDS YOUR HELP FOR  
PIONEER DAYS! We are planning Pioneer Days for May 31 -  
June 2 this year. Already we have a few events that are scheduled.  
If you would like to host an event or volunteer at an event e.g.,  
concession, bar shifts at dance, face painting, kids games etc., it  
makes the weekend run more smoothly. We are also looking for any  
musicians wanting to play in the park. If you would like to do a  
shift in the bar (must have Serving It Right Certificate) or if you  
could just put in a shift to help at the dance it would be greatly  
appreciated. If you can help in any way, please contact Kathy  
Molendyk at 250-569-7201. If you are interested in helping in the  
Concession, please call Heather Zahn through Facebook Messenger  
and if interested in working a shift at the dance bar call Tanya  
Phillips at 250-569-7788.

## McBRIDE THRIFT STORE

We will open again on Tuesday, April 2.

-McBride Ang. United Church

## RVGS NEWS

MONs Family Place Drop-In is on Mondays from 9am-noon at  
RVCS (942 3rd Ave., McBride). Join for connection with other  
families, parenting resources and fun for you and your 0-6 year old  
children. Registration is not required unless otherwise stated. For  
more information call 1-844-324-2004 or email: events@rvcsbc.org.  
Mar. 25 Decorate Easter eggs and April Fool's Day craft. Apr. 1  
Statutory Holiday: No Drop In. Apr. 8 Decorating cookies at RVCS.  
Apr. 15 Play at Steve Kolida Park. Apr. 22 Sensory play at RVCS.  
Apr. 29 Play at Steve Kolida Park.

TUES Soup and Bun is happening on Mar. 26, 11:30am-1:30pm  
at RVCS (942 3rd Ave., McBride). Come in out of the cold to enjoy  
a warm bowl of soup (by donation) with friends. This month's  
delicious soup is made by Bev McLennan - thank you! Contact 250-  
569-2266 / events@rvcsbc.org for more info.

Ongoing McBride Events: MON through THURS, McBride  
RVCS (942 3rd Ave.) has a FREE FOOD PANTRY that's  
available to all! Emergency top-up food is accessible to our clients,  
Family Place Drop In 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.

## BUY, SELL, RENT & MISC.

For Sale-Open Offers-89 Chev 4x4 long box, needs motor, rebuilt,  
transmission & trans case. 95 Chev 4x4 350 crate motor, 10,000k.  
1951 international W6 farm tractor. 55 horse power Chrysler Outboard  
motor for a boat, rebuilt. Utility trailer 6x9. Cement Mixer. 1965  
John Deer vintage lawn tractor, Tractor snowblower attachment. 4  
15" chrome beauty ring & centers, GMC as new. Older snowblower  
Model 70's duel blade. Phone 1-250-968-4370 Andre or 1-236-594-  
2154 (cell) Brian. Call any time••For Sale-Lengths of new, dark  
green soffit, j-trim, fascia cladding and drip edge. Call for amounts  
and pricing. 1 steel, black painted headache rack for early model  
ford. 4x8 box. Good shape well built. \$350. 250-569-7504••For  
Sale-2004 Kawasaki. KLX 400 Enduro. Road Legal Dirt Bike,  
lightly used. New tires \$4100 call or text #250-589-7032••For  
Sale-Dining table, wood veneer w/rounded corners & one 18" leaf,  
table 5' long, 3'6" wide \$100; Standing lamp, black metal stand 5'6"  
high w/1 ceiling lamp & 1 flexible lamp \$50. Call Katharine 250-  
569-7364••FOR SALE: Ikea Norddal bunkbeds w foam mattresses,  
fitted sheets, pillows & cases \$250; Cuisinart AirFryer Toaster Oven  
\$50. Call Katharine 250-569-7364••For sale: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-Stihl and Husky chain  
saws, a good selection of bars and chains to get ready for firewood  
season. Phone Warren Ph: 250-569-7469.

## 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 - layled 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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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.

Scott & Susan (Oscar & Broom)

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250-569-7308

Daily, Weekly & Monthly Rates  
1800 Samson Rd. McBride (bottom of Lucille mountain)



D & T INDUSTRIES

250-569-7758 / 7050

CLOSED  
Fri. 29, Sat. 30, Sun. 31 & April 1  
Reg hours April 2.  
Have a great Easter!!  
250-569-0133  
Mon.-Fri. 6am-5pm, Sat.&Sun. 9am-5pm Closed-Stat Holidays

**TGP** McBride TGP  
The Grocery People Grocery Store  
211 Main Street 250-569-2525

March 28- April 3  
**Sugardale Hams**  
Bone In - Random Weight - Cryovac Wrapped  
\$2.49 / lb. While Quantities Last  
**Broccoli Crowns**  
produce of USA \$1.99 / lb.  
**Co-op Gold Large Eggs**  
1 dozen \$3.49  
Have a HAPPY EASTER  
from our TGP families to yours.  
Please get your  
**EASTER COLOURING CONTEST sheet**  
in by March 30  
Draw is March 31.

OPEN 7 Days per week 8am-8pm

**Integris**  
Insurance Services  
Rosemary L. Hruby, CAIB  
250-569-2264

Closed Good Friday  
and Easter Monday.  
Open Saturday, March 30,  
from 10:00a.m. - 3:00p.m.  
Have A Safe and Happy Easter!

## HIGH COUNTRY RENTAL & REPAIR



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MCBRIDE, BC V0J 2E0  
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LOCAL: 250.569.7099  
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WWW.HIGHCOUNTRYREPAIR.CA

Sunday & Monday - 10 am - 9 pm  
Tuesday - CLOSED Wednesday - CLOSED  
Thursday, Friday & Saturday - 10 am - 9 pm  
For after hours text Elliott at 250-569-7099

# APRIL FOOLS' DAY

ANNUAL  
CEASE  
CREATIVITY  
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EFFORT  
HARMLESS  
HOAXES  
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JOKES  
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