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VALLEY MUSEUM & ARCHIVES

Bring your family & friends to the museum this summer!

Passage of Time Exhibit continues!

July Museum Membership Drive \$10-AGM will be Tuesday, July 30 at 5pm.

Beautiful Raffle Quilt is still on display!

OPEN Tuesday to Friday 11-4pm

SHOP HOURS WILL VARY THIS WEEK. THANKS FOR UNDERSTANDING.

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For the week of Wednesday, July 24th, 2024



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THANK YOU

Oscar & Broom would like to thank the Fire Fighters and everyone else who are working tirelessly to keep our valley safe. We appreciate all the hard dedicated work you are doing. We are all so very grateful.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEWS

It's hot...and we've slowed down a bit here at the McBride and District Hospital Auxiliary. No meetings in July and August! However, our members are taking time to think about new methods of fund-raising and tweaking some of our regular fund-raising. Do you have ideas for helping us raise money for purchases for our hospital? Do you have time and energy to help the Auxiliary? Please join us in the fall to present your ideas and help them become a reality. You may run into Aux. members this summer who will be happy to tell you about the good work we do and how you can be a part of this important group. Whether you live in Crescent Spur, Dome Creek, Dunster or McBride and even Valemount, we would love your ideas and your skills and energy. Please feel free to stop any member if you see them out and about to find out more about us: Pat Elliot, President; Vice President, Eleanor Johnson/Joanne Bedell; Treasurer: Mary Hooker; Secretary: Ida Kohn; Barb Brabant, Shelly Cousineau, Kat Vickery. Carol Hammar, Past President can be reached at c-hammar@hotmail.ca.

VALLEY PIEGEMAKERS QUILT GUILD

Our Raffle Quilt - club members, and also available at Welcome Home, Mountain Boutique and Valley Museum, will continue selling tickets for \$2.00 each until our draw September 27th, 2024, at 3pm in the McBride and District Public Library. The quilt is on display at the Valley Museum and Archives.

LIBRARY NEWS

German Language Program - Join Lilly on Wednesday mornings for German Conversation Club! From 10-11:30am. A fun way to learn a language; all levels welcome.

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.

D&D for Teens - Tues. 3:30-5pm. Ages 12-18. Please call for details: 250-569-2411.

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

Board Teens - Thursday 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 at 1:30pm. Call for details: 250-569-2411.

Weekly Adults' Programs - Fibre Artists Knit & Crochet Group (Wed., 10am) - beginners welcome; Writing Group (Fri., 1:30pm). Call 250-569-2411 for details of either program.

BC Summer Reading Club - A free literacy program designed to engage school-aged children, ages 5-14, with libraries and reading, throughout the summer. Each year has a different theme: this year's theme is World of Curiosities. Each participating child gets a logbook, to track their reading progress (with weekly stickers for completion!) and bookmarks. We will be running a series of weekly challenges for kids - and parents - to try. This year, to make it even more fun, we will be assigning everyone a House: the four houses are as follows: House of Unicorn, House of Mer, House of Dragon and House of Griffin. Reading logs are available at the library now; when you collect a reading log, you are assigned to a House! Children and parents will generate House points by completing weekly challenges, and their reading logs. The House with the most points at the end of summer will have the medal ceremony party decorated in their honour! We will have weekly prize draws too, and lots of prizes for kids of all ages.

Summer Book Bingo - Back this year, our reading program for adults. Pick up a "bingo card" and play along. There will be a prize winner at the end of the summer, and this is also a way to earn House points.

Wacky Wednesdays Summer Activities - our summer program for kids will be on Wednesday afternoons this year. Games, activities, learning, and lots of fun! Kids aged 5-8 are welcome to join us from 1-2pm; kids aged 8-13 from 3-4pm. Speak to a member of staff for more info. We have three special science workshops this year offered by 'Scientists in School' on 17th July, 7 August and 17 August - places are limited for these workshops, and children must be registered to attend. All materials will be provided free of charge. There will be one combined session in these weeks for children of all ages, from 1-2pm (no 3-4pm session). Drop in at the library for details of these workshops, check our website, or call us. **Summer Hours** - Tues. 10-6, 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.

Scott & Susan (Oscar & Broom)

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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES

Sewer Flushing tentatively to start

Tuesday, Aug. 6th, 2024 - Friday, Aug. 16th, 2024

Sewer cleaning and inspections will be completed in McBride by Northern Lites Technology Ltd., tentatively from Tuesday, August 6th, 2023 through Friday, August 16th, 2024. Map forthcoming. Cleaning and inspections keep the sewer system operating efficiently by:

- Helping to prevent blockages and backups;
- Remove built-up debris such as roots, grease, grit, and sand;
- Determining the condition of the sewer for repair and replace as necessary.

Cleaning is done with a high-pressure nozzle to flush water down the sewer. This can cause water to splash out through toilets, sinks, and drains. The Village asks that residents cover toilet bowls with plastic-wrap, close the lids on all toilet bowls and insert plugs into all sinks and bathtubs between Tuesday, August 6th, 2024 - Friday, August 16th, 2024.

For the safety of the Public and crews, please remember that equipment has the right of way. We ask that residents use caution around equipment, choose an alternate route and please watch for signage.

Thank you for your patience and understanding while this work is being completed.

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COMMUNITY MARKET

The Community Market will be running every Friday from 11:00am to 2:00pm in the pavilion at Steve Kolida Park until August 30th. Make it, Bake it Grow it, or gently used items. Table \$10 for adult and \$2.00 for children under 12 per week. For further information contact Jackie Edwards 250-569-7101.

BIRTHDAY WISHES JULY 24-30

Eric Molendyk, Richard Dean Quam, Rosie Birky, Asher Feltham-Ondang, Ben Carter, Bob Mitchell, Dakota Miller, Eric Teering, Jacob Jones, Julie Berginc, Allysa Gredling, Luc Levesque, Pierce Kerr, Rick Hallwas, Audrey Gredling, Bev McLennan, Rebecca Wilcox, Sawyer Trask, Heather Simpson, Levi Smith, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday!

THRIFT STORE NEWS

We will be having 2 days a month - Tuesdays & Fridays. A half price sale on **clothes only**. In August we will be having them on Tuesday, August 6 and Friday, August 9. On the 10 of August we will be closed & changing over to our fall clothes. The shop will be closed August 12 to 16 and we'll be open again Tuesday, August 20. Hope this will be helpful for everyone. And again "Thank You" everyone for donations and support. And a big Thank You to our volunteers. -McBride Ang. United Church.

RVCS NEWS

MONs Family Place Drop-In is on Mondays from 9am-noon at RVCS (942 3rd Ave., McBride) unless otherwise stated. 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 250-569-2266 or email: events@rvcsbc.org. July 29 Painting with marbles and salad spinners. August 5 No drop-in; statutory holiday. August 12 Cooking with tots-Berry fluff salad! August 19 Water play day.

JULY 31, AUGUST 1 and 2, Youth ages 10-13 years are invited to come together for Theatre Camp at the McBride office 942 3rd Ave. Learn the basics of acting through movement, storytelling and roleplaying. Increase emotional awareness, non-verbal communication and flexible thinking. Registration is required by emailing events@rvcsbc.org or calling 250-569-2266. Brought to you by the Child & Youth Mental Health & Family Support Program.

FRI., August 2nd Seniors are invited to join us for Goats & Grandparents, Donkeys N' Donuts! It's that time of year again! RVCS is thrilled to host another Goats & Grandparents, Donkeys n' Donuts at our McBride office 942 3rd Ave. from 1:00pm-3:00pm. Registration is not required. Contact 250-569-2266 or email events@rvcsbc.org for more info.

THURS., AUGUST 15th 12-3pm Join us for an afternoon picnic and Scavenger Hunt at Dominion Creek. Please bring a picnic lunch, water and footwear appropriate for walking. Registration is not required, please arrive on time as we will be convoying from 942 3rd Ave. to the trailhead. This event is brought to you by the Family Literacy Program and thanks to funding from CALP. Contact 250-569-2266 or email events@rvcsbc.org for more info.

TUES., July 30 and other Tuesdays throughout the summer, come join us for a Walking Group! Whether you're a seasoned walker or just starting out, our group welcomes everyone. Walking is not only great for your physical health but also fantastic way to meet others. This group runs from July 30, and again August 6, 13, 20 & 27 from 2-3pm beginning from 942 3rd Avenue, McBride. Adults and seniors welcome. Contact 250-569-2266 / events@rvcsbc.org for more details.

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.

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For Sale- 1998 Mercedes C230 - \$9700.00. 1988 Mercedes 560SEL - \$15,000. 2003 Ford Explorer Eddie Bauer - \$9000.00. 1966 Case 930 Comfort King \$3000.00. All good running condition - for more information call 250-569-7814••For Sale-50 feet by 100 feet commercial greenhouse poly. Used one season. Good condition. \$100 per roll. 3 available. One queen size, like new, memory foam mattress. Includes wooden base \$400.00 obo. 40 inch Hisense smart TV complete with speaker system and remote \$80 obo. Electric BBQ, in good condition, \$150 obo. Phone Jon 250-569-7504.••Wanted:One gas powered weed wacker or combination brush saw - weed wacker. Phone John 250-852-3824••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-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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