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From Roslyn
Very excited about my upcoming fundraiser, Friday, 6 September in the Beautiful Community of McBride.
The Robson Valley is such a Tourism Treasure for BC and Canada! From the breathtaking views of mountains, world class mountain biking, spectacular back country activities: hiking, camping, hunting, fishing, snowmobiling, skiing and it's rich Indigenous History, it's a vacation destination worth planning!!
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For the week of Wednesday, August 21st, 2024

IN LOVING MEMORY



Arthur (Art) Floyd Callaghan

It's with a heavy heart we say goodbye to our father Art who passed away suddenly on August 13, 2024 at the age of 92 after a long and fulfilling life. Art was born in Loyalist Alberta November 6, 1931 and moved to McBride with his parents Dennis and Elizabeth plus 7 other brothers and 4 sisters. Art was the last of this surviving family. Art "the Irishman" married the love of his life Ila Fuglem February 1951 and raised 4 children in McBride. Living in McBride they were surrounded by family and friends and enjoyed many gatherings, dances and music in the back yard. Dad loved his old time Country music. Art worked for the Dept. of Highways and operated various heavy equipment. He had many stories about snowfalls. One was of walking the plank on the Frazier River bridge to pack the kids to their parents from the school bus and the bridge was partially washed away. Another was running a huge snow blower and had a gut feeling when blowing snow from a section of a street. Stopped, walked around to find kids tunnelling into the snow bank on the other side. From then on he wouldn't run the machine unless he had a spotter. After the kids all graduated they moved to Loos, BC and started there new adventures of enjoying back country horseback riding, hunting, trapping and farming 400 acres while still traveling to McBride for work till he retired in 1986. 1995 they moved to Chase and claimed they were no longer Loos'ers but Chas'ers. Ila was diagnosed with Alzheimer's and needed more care so moved her into Mt. Ida Mews. After traveling back and forth to Salmon Arm he decided to sell and move closer to be with her. Landers Lodge became his home in 2016 then and was till the end. He loved to tease the ladies and they gave it right back with a smile. Art had many family and friends stop in to visit him and loved every moment that he spent with people. You could always find him in his recliner in his room with the TV on and watching old time movies. We can't thank the staff at Landers Lodge enough for watching over dad, spoiling him with anything choc and just making it feel like home. Art is survived by his children Lucille Mintz (Dale), sons Robert Callaghan (Heather) and Michael Callaghan (Carol), son-in-law Art Cochrane, 10 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. Predeceased by his wife Ila Callaghan, daughter Marilyn Cochrane, and grandson Garrett Callaghan. There will be a Celebration of life at a later date.

COMING EVENTS

Three Valleys Community Development Cooperative is having the first apple pressing of the season on Sunday, August 25th 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.

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.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEWS

September is soon upon us and it's always a busy month, so get your planner out and mark down September 9, 3:30 pm. That's when the next Hospital Auxiliary meeting will be held in the education room at the hospital. Come out and join us to plan upcoming fund-raising events. Can't make it to the meeting, but you want to share ideas and participate with the great group of volunteers? Call Pat 250-569-7521; Eleanor 250-569-2459; Joanne 250-569-7562 to share your ideas or get more information about what we do.

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.

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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McBride/Robson Valley Residents!
Please join us for a McBride Community Town Hall to celebrate Integris' McBride Expansion and to learn more about our next steps!

August 21st 7:00pm | At the Robson Valley Community Centre

FUN FRIDAY
August 23rd - 10am to 5pm
Fresh Cinnamon Buns & FREE Frog Coffee all day!!
Friday, August 23rd
FREE SAMPLES All Day to 5pm!!
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with a piece of L'Ancetre Cheese
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20% off Organic Balsamic Glaze
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ROBSON VALLEY IDA TELE PHARMACY

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250-569-8811
#3 - 411 Main Street, McBride

Robson Valley IDA
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Call us - 250-569-0215

Whistle Stop Gallery



Open 9am to 5pm daily in the train station

Did you know that most of the public art you see in McBride has been
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BIRTHDAY WISHES AUGUST 21-27

Laren Scales, Les Hack, Raj Basran, Sonnia Carmont, Susan Blouin-Thompson, Max Elliott, Tammi McFarland, Amy Miskie, Stella Franke, Anthony Hruby, Kian Befound, Pete Berndsen, Bryden Basran, Eli Ross, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday!

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. August 26 - Play at the recreation centre.

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 August 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.

ANOTHER LITTLE THINKER...

Did you know that dolphins are so smart that within a few weeks of captivity, they can train people to stand on the very edge of a pool and throw them fish?

LIBRARY NEWS

Summer Reading Club Medal Ceremony and Party/Final Wacky Wednesday is this week on Wed., 21st, from 1-2pm for ages 5-13. Bring along completed reading logs (if you still have them!) - medals for participation. Games, activities and prize draws. All kids welcome, even if they have not attended other Wacky Wednesday sessions.

German Language Program - Taking a break until August 28th (10am).
Dunster Poetry Workshop - next one is Wed., 18th September, from 10:30am-12:30pm at Dunster Schoolhouse. Come along for some fun with poetry. If you would like us to bring materials from McBride Library for you to collect at this session, please call us on 250-569-2411 or email library@mcbridebc.org.

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. Next time you're in the library, check out our Word of the Week!

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

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 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.

Summer Hours - Tues. 10-6, Wed. and Thurs. 10-5, Fri. 12-8 and Sat. 12-5.

BUY, SELL, RENT & MISG.

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.

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).

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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2024 Fraser Heritage Festival: Maker Faire

Join us for this year's RVACC Fraser River Heritage Celebration on September 7th at Koeneman Park, McBride, from 1-3pm. This free and fun event will be a skills showcase. Be prepared to see: historical italian martial arts (sword-fighting) demos with Randy Packer, yarn processing: carding, spinning, dyeing, knitting (various artisans), painting with Glen Frear, stringed-instrument making with Larry Stamm, miniatures scenery/backdrop modelling with Jeff Nadwidny, kids' crafts and activities table. All welcome.

Questions? Email rvaccevents@gmail.com or call Abi at the library on 250-569-2411.



McBride & District 250-569-2411

PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Saturday 12-5

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