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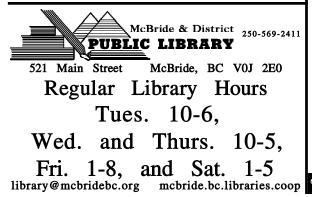
McBride Men's Shed is having an Open House Saturday, March







Mini Excavator - Landing Clearing, Tight Spaces, Water Lines, Hydro Lines, Septic Lines, Trenches Skid Steer - Landscaping Leveling, Debris Removal



22, 2-4pm, 903 2nd Ave. (turn right at TGP). Drop by to learn about Men's Shed, meet our members and check out our shop. Door prizes, hot dogs, snacks, refreshments.

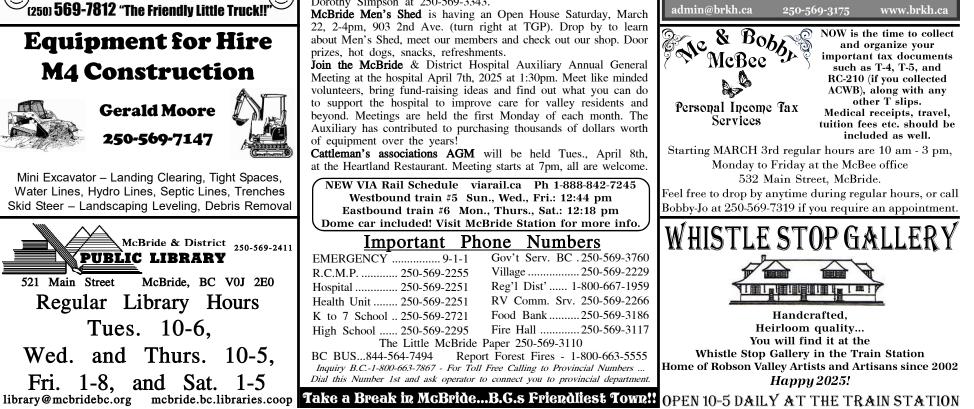
Join the McBride & District Hospital Auxiliary Annual General Meeting at the hospital April 7th, 2025 at 1:30pm. Meet like minded volunteers, bring fund-raising ideas and find out what you can do to support the hospital to improve care for valley residents and beyond. Meetings are held the first Monday of each month. The Auxiliary has contributed to purchasing thousands of dollars worth of equipment over the years!

Cattleman's associations AGM will be held Tues., April 8th, at the Heartland Restaurant. Meeting starts at 7pm, all are welcome.

NEW VIA Rail Schedule viarail.ca Ph 1-888-842-7245 Westbound train #5 Sun., Wed., Fri.: 12:44 pm Eastbound train #6 Mon., Thurs., Sat.: 12:18 pm Dome car included! Visit McBride Station for more info.

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 BUS844-564-7494 Repor	t Forest Fires - 1-800-663-5555					
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BIRTHDAY WISHES MARGH 19-25

Aiden Jackson, Jamie Street, Jordan Forman, Rowan Lafleche, Dawn Phillips, Mellany Scales, Ryan Vizza, Kaitylyn Cayne, LeeAnna Taphorn, Nate Savarella, Emili Robinson, Justine Thiel, Rachel Kent, Eira Ford, Mark Ondang, Nico Bressette, Hailey Savarella, Kaycee McLennan, Alice Martin, Carsten Hooker, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday.

ELKS & ROYAL PURPLE NEWS

Cornhole Tournament (Double Knockout) 6:00 p.m., Saturday, March 29th at the Elks Hall. Entry Fee: \$50.00 (\$40.00 towards prizes, \$10.00 towards Elks Hall). Prize Money: Depends on the number of entries. If you would like to register or get more information, please call Tanya Phillips at 250-569-7788 before March 26th. Must be 19+. Refreshments and a Designated Driver is available.

McBride Elks/Royal Purple Annual Pioneer Days. Make sure you put June 6-8, 2025 on your calendar! The McBride Elks and Royal Purple are starting to organize this year's Pioneer Days! If you have an event you would like to include in the Schedule of Events, please contact Kathy Molendyk at 250-569-7201. We are always looking for different ideas, musical groups etc. Also, without community support we can't have a successful, fun weekend. Therefore, we need volunteers! If you are interested in helping in any way, whether that is setting up/cleaning up for an event, cooking at concession, helping out at dance etc., please contact Kathy.

McBride Elks and Royal Purple Need Members! We are a national charitable organization promoting and supporting community needs through the voluntary efforts of local members. Our support focus is on McBride and the surrounding area. The Elks Lodge was instituted in 1933. The Royal Purple was instituted in 1948 and in 2000 McBride Elks and Royal Purple became a joint lodge. The Lodges continue to play an active role in the community. They meet at 172 Holdway Street, McBride every 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. (ex. July/Aug.). We **do not** have a membership fee and it's not necessary to attend all meetings!

RVGS NEWS

MON's: Family Place Drop-In is on Mondays from 9 AM-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. March 24 - Bouncy Castle Fun. March 31 - Popsicle stick bird feeder.

THUR. MAR. 20: Join us for a fun-filled Craft Day! Let's get out the modge podge and dive into decoupage together. Create something unique to take home and cherish. Whether you're a seasoned crafter or just starting, all are welcome. Thursday, March 20th, from 1pm to 3pm at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Ave. Come and unleash your creativity with us! This event is brought to you by McBride RVCS Adult Literacy Program. Registration is required, please contact the office to reserve your spot.

FRI., MAR. 21: Caregivers and children ages 0-6 years are invited to join us for a morning with local artist Karly on Friday, March 21, from 10am-12pm at the McBride office 942 3rd Ave. This program is brought to you by the Infant Development Program and Family Literacy Program. Registration is required please contact us to sign up.

THUR., MAR. 27: Join us at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Avenue, Thursday, March 27th, from 1pm to 3pm for a documentary film, "Northlore" which weaves together animation and live-action to delve into the transformations stories of people living in Canada's North, highlighting how the wilderness can transform the human spirit. This event is brought to you by the RVCS Adult Literacy program. No registration required.

MON. through THUR.: McBride RVCS (942 3rd Ave.) has a FREE FOOD PANTRY that's available to all! Emergency top-up food is accessible to our clients 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 events@rvcsbc.org. The local Food Bank is also available: 250-569-3186.

GHURGH 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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Games Cafe Launch - 3:00, Thursday-Saturday, March 20-22, 27-29. The meeting room will be open to anyone wishing to socialize and explore our new collection of board and card games (or meet up to play the games currently in our collection). Staff are happy to introduce a new game each day to those who are interested.

NEW Books and Banter - Thursdays 12:30, Adults, join us for lighthearted stories, read aloud, that you'll be sure to enjoy! Refreshments served. Beginning March 20th. **Fines Forgiven for** the Food Bank - Donate during March. We missed Fine-Free February, but we didn't forget. Bring in a non-perishable food item, and your overdue fines will be erased. **NEWish Children's Learning** Series - Tuesdays, 3:00pm. Starting with a story and snack, library staff will host a variety of activities geared for 9-12 years. **Weekly Programming - D&D** for Teens, Fiber Artist Group, German Conversation Club, Sunshine Stories, and the Writing Group. Check the events calendar for details at library@mcbridebc.org.

Most Christians believe we get our reward at death. The Bible teaches we get our reward at two separate resurrections. Which do you believe? Contact Bible Truth. Phone 250-569-7077. Box 185, McBride. B.C.

Hearfland ²⁵⁰⁻⁵⁶⁹⁻⁰⁰³² RESTAORANT Looking for part time cook, dishwasher, and server,

please give resume to Josh at restaurant.

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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.

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Scott & Susan (Oscar & Broom)

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For Sale-2007 Honda Civic Coupe, manual transmission, body & interior in great shape but needs an expensive repair therefore i'll sell it for only \$2,000. Ph:250-569-8860••For Sale: Covers & Co. seed blends-*update* early order discount ends March 15 / Gelbvieh Bulls private treaty. Contact Matthew Vogel 250-569-7968••For Sale-4L glass jars \$3 each. 4L square pails \$2 each. 16L square pails \$4 each. Phone 250-569-0133••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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