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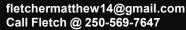
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GOMMUNITY ANNOUNGEMENTS

McBride Hotel News - A great turnout Sunday for the 3rd annual Howard Logan Pool Tournament. 16 players in all, 5 of which were women and a few who had never **E** played in a tournament! Val Logan hosted and kept score. 3rd-Stacey Schock, 2nd-Randy Harstad and 1st place went to Lanny Schock!!! The McBride Hotel thanks everyone for your continued patronage and the next tournament will be Mik Ryan's around Thanksgiving...TBA.

Dunster Farmers Market is up and running again for the 45th year. Join us at Dunster Community Hall every Saturday from 11am to 1pm until the end of September. No fee for vendors. All welcome! We offer a nice lunch of local beef burgers, local veggie burgers, hot dogs, coffee and juice. We usually have veggies and plants, home baking, local crafts and art, and miscellaneous new and used items. For more information, call Pete Amyoony at 250-968-4334.

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Lorne Sprecher January 1951 - September 2022 ALL IS NOT LOST All is not lost when your heart has been shattered. All is not lost when you feel so alone. All is not lost when your hope lies in tatters. This darkness will pass, keep watching for dawn.

ROBSON VALLEY MUSHROOM FESTIVAL

Love Always your family.

Hello Mushroom Enthusiasts!!!! The 2025 Robson Valley Mushroom Festival is happening. Where: The Dunster School (Dunster BC). When: September 26, 27 and 28th. What is happening? The weekend will be filled with activities. Walks and talks, short and long forays, 6 great instructors, 11 excellent workshops, a gala "mushroom themed dinner, evening presentations and vendors. This weekend is yours to fill with learning activities and workshops to enhance your fungi experience. Instructors and presenters for the festival come with a wide range of knowledge and experience gathered from years of collecting and identifying mushrooms of western North America.

Camping and lunches are available. If you are interested in learning more about the mushrooms of the Robson Valley check out the website Robsonvalleymushroomfestival.com

McBride & District Hospital Auxiliary

Purchases since January 2021. The McBride and District Hospital Auxiliary have been able to donate several pieces of equipment to the McBride and District Hospital and McBride Ambulance Service over the years thanks in a very large part to the generous donations of the McBride and surrounding area. Here is a list of the donations that have been made since November of 2021.

Heat Packs, BC Ambulance - November 2021 \$993.17. Imaging Stretcher - December 2021 \$10,119.20. Temporal thermometer April 2022 \$620.14. Cast cutter - March 2023 \$7,462.90. UltraSound

February 2024 \$20,000 + \$5,000 RDFFG. Bariatric Bed -September 2024 \$8,000.00 + \$5,000 RCL 75. 3 Temporal thermometers - October 2024 \$1,725.00. 3 Wrist blood pressure cuffs - May 2025 \$453.60. CADD-Solis Intravenous Pump - July 2025 \$4,340.00. Syringe Module - July 2025 \$3080.00. TOTAL \$56,794.01. Please stay tuned for upcoming events sponsored by the McBride & District Hospital Auxiliary. Our next major event will be the CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA!

BIRTHDAY WISHES SEPT. 24-30

Hal Carmont, Marissa Quam, Bryce Christie, Bryce Nick, Shayne McCrea, Elizabeth Perkins, Emilie Smith, Katrina Molendyk, Tanya Klassen, Levi Klassen, Tony Wallis, Michelle Davis, Connie Vizza, Zeke Bressette, Joyce Mynio, Laurel Berg, Pat Elliott, Kayne Johnson, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday.



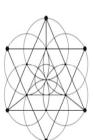
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Heavy Duty/Commercial Transport Repairs CVSE Inspection Facility Commercial Truck Parts Monday-Friday 9-4 250-569-2470 Rich's Raw Honey available at the shop

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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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GOMING EVENTS

McBride Big Country Snowmobile Association is having our AGM meeting Oct. 1, 2025 at Welcome Home at 6:30 pm. Everyone is welcomed to hear first hand information of the upcoming snowmobile season. We are also looking for directors to be part of our

McBride E-Free Church - CREATION EVENT Oct. 19, 6:00PM Amazing Evidence For a Young Universe with Q&A.

LIBRARY NEWS

Register for events or contact us by e-mailing library@mcbridebc.org or calling 250-569-2411.

Felting Workshop - Saturday, October 4, 1:30-3:30. Felt your own miniature teddy bear. Suitable for adults, seniors, and youth grade 6+. This is the second of four fall crafting workshops hosted by Laverne Remmelg. Advanced registration required, up to 8 people.

New Hours - Effective September 30. After reviewing how the community uses the library, the McBride & District Library is adjusting its opening hours to serve our patrons better. Friday nights have been quiet, so we'll be closing earlier. The library will now be open until 6 pm three nights a week, making it more convenient to stop by after work. Also, by shifting the hours on Friday and Saturday, we can be open over lunch breaks and encourage safer winter driving. Our new hours will be Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 10-6, Friday & Saturday from 12-4. We appreciate your understanding and support. If you have any questions about our new hours, please reach out to the Library Director.

RVGS NEWS

WED's: Family Place Drop-In is Wednesdays from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM RVCS (942 3rd Ave., McBride), unless otherwise stated. Come connect with other families, access parenting resources, and enjoying fun activities for you and your 0-6 year old children. For more information, call 250-569-2266 or email events@rvcsbc.org. Sept. 24 - Orange Shirt Day craft - Cloud dough!

WED., OCT. 1: Join us at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Ave., from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM, as we honor International Seniors Day with a cozy and welcoming drop-in gathering. Enjoy coffee, cake, and good company, Connect with neighbors and friends, Share stories, laughter, and community spirit. Whether you're a senior yourself or simply want to show appreciation for the incredible seniors in our lives, we'd love to see you there! No RSVP needed - just drop in! Let's make this day special day.

TUE., OCT. 7: Are you a youth (ages 14-19) thinking about life after high school? Wondering what's next for work, school, or independence? Join us for a relaxed, drop-in session designed for youth with support needs and their caregivers for Transitioning Youth to Adulthood. Learn about inclusive employment supports from WorkBC, explore resources, and connect with others navigating similar transitions. Tuesday, October 7, 2025, at the McBride Public Library, 521 Main Street, from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM. No registration required! Connect with others, explore resources, and learn about inclusive employment supports from WorkBC. We're here to help

TUE., OCT. 28: Join us for Café Connection, caring for children is a journey filled with both triumphs and trials. Join us for our monthly get-together where caregivers come together to share experiences, build community, and access valuable resources. This Month's Topic: Tips to Tackle Overwhelm - Feeling overwhelmed is a common part of caregiving. This month, our facilitators will share practical strategies to help you: Manage stress and burnout, Create space for self-care, Build resilience and balance. What You'll Gain: A supportive space to share your story, Tools to navigate the emotional demands of caregiving, Access to resources and supports in areas like mental health, education, and advocacy. Tuesday, October 28, 2025 At the McBride RVCS office, 942 3rd Ave., from 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM. Initial registration required, please contact the office to sign up. Let's connect, support one another, and grow-

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.

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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.

<u>Important</u> Pho	one Numbers			
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R.C.M.P 250-569-2255	Village250-569-2229			
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 Bank250-569-3186			
High School 250-569-2295	Fire Hall250-569-3117			
The Little McBride Paper 250-569-3110				
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Report Forest Fires - 1-800-663-5555 BC BUS...844-564-7494 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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THURS. SEPT. 25TH - NATIONAL QUESADILLA DAY LUNCH SPECIAL -CHICKEN & VEG. QUESADILLA SALSA, SOUR CREAM & GUACAMOLE

FRI. SEPT. 26TH WE WILL BE OPEN 8:30AM-3PM. WE WILL BE CLOSED FROM 3-5PM AND THEN WE WILL BE OPEN FROM 5-8PM. ORDER FROM OUR REGULAR MENU THOSE THAT HAVE RESERVED WILL ENJOY OUR DINNER SPECIAL

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Register Now! Last day to register – Sept 25







Robson Valley Agriculture Forum



Join us for a day and a half of presentations, workshops, panel discussions and networking as we explore the future of agriculture in the Robson Valley.



Subject matter experts will touch on topics ranging from climate adaptation and soil health to the value of native pollinators, best practices, emergency preparedness, opportunities for growth, and so much more!



Friday, Oct 3, 7:00-8:30pm – On-Farm Emergency Planning Workshop **Saturday, Oct 4, 8:30am-5:00pm** – Forum. Doors open at 8:00am **Saturday, Oct 4, 5:30pm on** – Post-event social - Gigglin' Grizzly Pub



Robson Valley Community Centre, 441 Columbia St.

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No fee to attend! See the **event agenda** and **register** at:

https://www.mcbride.ca/business-and-development/economic-development-projects/agriculture-forum-2025. Last day to register – September 25!

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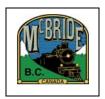




Robson Valley Agriculture Forum Cultivating Connections. Growing our Future.

Dates: Friday, October 3, 2025 – 7-8:30pm and Saturday, October 4 – 8:30am-5pm Location: Robson Valley Community Centre

DRAFT EVENT AGENDA				
Friday, October 3, 2025				
Workshop On-farm Emergency Preparedness	Representatives from BC Agriculture Council and AG Safe BC	7:00-8:30 pm		
	Saturday, October 4, 2025			
Doors open to attendees	Networking and visit the partner and sponsor trade show booths	8:00 am		
Land Acknowledgments, Welcome and Introductions	Mayor Eugene Runtz Presenting Sponsors -Robson Valley Hardware CorpCovers & Co.	8:30 am		
Spotlight on Partners McBride Farmers Institute	Mark Roth, President	8:45-9:00 am		
Keynote #1 Farmers Markets: Strengths and Limitations	Dr. David Connell, UNBC Professor	9:00-10:00 am		
Health Break	Networking and visit the partner and sponsor trade show booths.	10:00-10:15 am		
Panel Discussion #1 Opportunities in Agriculture	 Michelle Miller – President, District C Farmer's Institute Reg Steward – Buffalo Creek Consulting Karen Tabe – Regional Agrologist, Province of BC Jolene Swain - FarmFolk CityFolk 	10:15-11:00 am		
Spotlight on Industry Covers & Co.	Joseph Gardiner – Co-Founder and Agronomy Manager	11:00-11:30 pm		
Spotlight on Partners Native Bee Society of BC	Monica Zieper – Master Melittologist Student Native Bees of British Columbia	11:30am-noon		
Lunch Break	Lunch, networking and visit the partner and sponsor trade show booths	12:00-1:00 pm		
Keynote #2 Presentation: Cell Design for Advanced Rotational Grazing	Serena Black, P.Ag. and Manager BC Forage Council	1:00-2:00 pm		
Panel Discussion #2 Innovation in Agriculture	 Taylor Grafton – Beef Specialist, Province of BC Keegan Miller – Covers and Co. Willem Faasse – Rivershed Society of BC Kenna Jonkman - Regional District of Fraser-Fort George 	2:00-2:45 pm		
Health Break & Networking	Networking and visit the partner and sponsor tradeshow booths	2:45-3:00 pm		
Spotlight on Partners Dunster Community Association	Rashmi Narayan – Project Coordinator Dunster Farmland Preservation	3:00-3:30 pm		
Spotlight on Partners NW Invasive Plant Council	Michelle Miller – Executive Director Best management and reporting practices for invasives	3:30-4:00pm		
Keynote #3 Climate and Labour Adaptations	Andrew Adams, Owner/Operator Hope Farm Organics	4:00-5:00 pm		
Wrap up and thank you! Post-event social meet up at the Gig	5:00 pm 5:30pm on			



THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF MCBRIDE

2025 NOTICE OF TAX SALE

Pursuant to Section 645 of the Local Government Act, the following properties, land and improvements, will be offered for sale by public auction to be held at the Council Chambers, Village of McBride, 100 Robson Centre, 855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC. on **Monday, September 29, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.**, unless the delinquent taxes plus interest are paid prior to that date.

 Folio/Roll #	Legal Description	Civic Address
283.013	Lot C, PGP 25678, DL 5316 Cariboo Land District, PID 007-529-350	542 Main St.
292.010	Lot 2, PGP 26017, DL 5314 Cariboo Land District, PID 007-431-490	625 King Street
306.032	Lot 9, PGP 25548, DL 5314 Cariboo Land District, PID 007-283-989	795 Dominion St.
307.245	Part SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Except Plan 6832, 9818, and 11342, DL 5314Cariboo Land District. PID 015-129-951	210 Horseshoe Lk Rd.

The sale of properties will be conducted in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

The announced upset price is the minimum price acceptable and will be the starting point of the bidding on each property. The highest bid above the upset price will be accepted.

The final determination as to the successful bidder will be made by the Collector who will keep a sales record which shall be conclusive in all respects as to each sale.

Any person upon being declared the successful bidder must provide their name and address and immediately pay by cash, interac, or certified cheque the amount of the successful bid amount. Failure to pay this amount will result in the property being offered for sale again.

The Village of McBride makes no representation express or implied as to the condition or quality of the properties being offered for sale. Prospective purchasers are urged to make all necessary inquiries to applicable government departments and in the case of strata lots to the strata corporation, to determine the existence of any bylaws, restrictions, charges or other conditions which may affect the value or suitability of the properties.

The purchase of a tax sale property that is not redeemed is subject to tax under the Property Transfer Act on the fair market value of the property at the end of the one-year redemption period.

Jeanette McDougall, Chief Finance Officer