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NOTICE OF MEETING

2026 Budget Deliberations

The Board of Directors start 2026 budget deliberations on Friday January 16, 2026 at 9 am. Budget details are in the Committee of the Whole agenda available on rdffg.ca. Individuals and organizations can provide comments on this budget by:

- addressing the Board of Directors at the January 16 meeting (register in advance at 250-980-4444 or 1-800-887-1959)
- emailing budget@rdffg.bc.ca

Registrations or emailed comments must be received by January 15 at 4:30 pm.

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For the week of Wednesday, January 14th, 2026

OPEN GATE COMMUNITY GARDEN ANNOUNCEMENT

WE ARE BACK AT IT...SAVE THE DATE. Seedy Saturday. SATURDAY MARCH 14, 2026, 10-3pm. Dunster School. We are in the planning stage. Volunteers are always Welcome and needed to keep this annual event going. Please call / text Michael and or Barb at 250-569-7892 to add your name to the list.

THANK YOU

I would like to sat a big thank you to the Village of McBride Maintenance Crew that work hard to keep our streets and sidewalks safe for all after we have a snowfall. You are all very much appreciated. Thank you so much! Also a big thank you to Emil Anderson Road Crew that keep our Highway safe for us during our winter months, thank you so much as well. ~McBride Resident

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Did you purchase the Elks & Royal Purple 2026 calendar? If so you can now pick them up from Gina at Mountain View Boutique.

BIRTHDAY WISHES JAN. 14-20

Asiya Divleli, Clayton Hallwas, Colton Moore, Ellise Gustafson-Randall, Hailey Martin, Stacey Schock, Thatcher Reiter, Amelia Jones, Joan Hack, Mark Roth, Brigit Stutz, Eva McNaughton, Doug McRae, Kyra Littlechild, Gunnar Goodkey, Wyatt Easterbrook, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEWS

Winners of the McBride & District Hospital Auxiliary Christmas Raffle are: 1st Prize-Handmade Quilt - Jane McClinton and 2nd Prize-Food Hamper - Tina Bennett. The winners of the Children's Raffle were: Penny Williamson and Zander Lamming. Congratulations to these people and thank you everyone for your support with these fundraisers.

LIBRARY NEWS

Marbling Workshop - Saturday, January 24, 1:30 - 3:30. Use inks to marble on paper. Great for adults, seniors, & youth grades 6+. Hosted by Laverne Remmelg. No cost to participants, but advanced registration required. Craft Time for Children & Caregivers - Last Thursday of every month at 11:00. Children ages 3-6 and their caregivers are welcome to join us following "Sunshine Stories & Songs" to create and discover together. Contact us by emailing library@mcbridebc.org or calling 250-569-2411.

FOOD BANK INFO

We have collection boxes all year long, located at TGP, AG Foods and Canada Post. The contact number for the food bank is Julie 250-569-3186 or 250-569-7436 and Beryl 250-569-3225. We are located at 852 2nd Ave. (Basement entrance at left of building). Thank you for your amazing support of the food bank in McBride!

BUY, SELL, RENT & MISG.

FOR SALE-Firewood, mixed, 16" long, very dry. Stored inside. \$300 per split cord. Phone 780-903-9129••For Sale-Just in time for Christmas and tax time: 1 "Fellowes" paper shredder and lubricant \$50. 2 storage-cubes-brown "leather" (16"w x 18"h) \$35 each or both for \$50. Black metal utility stool \$10. White wicker chair/table (see to appreciate) \$100. Dr. Jackson text 250-569-7892 for photos/ to buy••FREE-Aloe Vera plants, various sizes in 4 to 8 inch pots. Transplanted Dec. 1. NO delivery. D Simpson 250-569-3343. #4 Mountain View Mobile Home Park.••For Sale-Pellet Stove, octagon shape, 1 year old. Comes with pipe and 3 or 4 bags of pellets. \$1000 firm. Phone 1-778-983-2770••For Sale-1993 VW Eurovan campervan. Call/ text Tyler at 778-989-7649••For Sale-Stihl and Husky chain saws, a good selection of bars and chains to get ready for firewood season. Phone Warren 250-569-7469.

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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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Apply to serve on the Select Committee for Arts, Culture and Heritage Grants. The committee meets once a year to review applications to the Arts, Culture and Heritage Grant program that supports projects across the Regional District. Five members of the public will be appointed to serve on this committee.

The application deadline is Monday January 26.

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If you are an artist, a maker, a potter, a woodworker or more and you live in the Robson/Canoe Valley, drop by the Gallery and see how easy it is to become a member and start sharing your work with thousands of visitors each year.

Our January hours are 10-4 daily.

For more information call: 250-569-7825

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RVCS NEWS

WED's: Family Place Drop-In has moved to Fridays, from 9:00AM to 12:00PM 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. Jan. 16 Free play Friday. Jan. 23 Finger painting. Jan. 30 Board games.

TUES., JAN. 13: Join us for Café Connect! Are you caring for children and looking for a supportive space to share, learn, and connect? Come to our monthly gathering where we celebrate successes, talk through challenges, and build community. This Month's Topic: Hopes for the New Year Let's explore what we're looking forward to in 2026 and how we can make those hopes a reality. From 12:00PM to 1:30PM at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Avenue. Facilitators will provide resources and supports in various areas. Come for the conversation, stay for the community! Initial registration is required - please contact us to sign up. Brought to you by the CYSN and Family Support Program.

THUR., JAN. 15: Vision Board Workshop – Seniors are invited to spark creativity and set inspiring goals by making vision boards together! Join us at the RVCS office in McBride from 1:30-3pm. All supplies provided - just bring your imagination!

TUESDAYS Starting Jan. 27, 2026: Join our EFFT Skills Group in McBride! Robson Valley Community Services is hosting a 4-session Emotion-Focused Family Therapy (EFFT) Skills Group for caregivers. Learn strategies to strengthen relationships, reduce challenging behaviors, and support your child's mental health. Dates: Jan. 27, Feb. 3, Feb. 10, Feb. 17, 2026, from 12:00PM to 2:30PM at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Avenue. Caregivers of children aged 0–19 are invited to register. Please contact the office by email at events@rvcsbc.org or call 250-566-9107. Brought to you by Child & Youth Mental Health and Family Support Programs.

THUR., JAN. 29: Tech Day for Seniors - Need a hand with phones, tablets, or other devices? Drop in for friendly tech support in McBride at 942 3rd Avenue, from 1:00PM - to 3:00PM. We'll be there to help with your tech questions and make things easier!!

In the Robson Valley, our pantries have already supported more than 900 visits in 2025. McBride RVCS (942 3rd Ave.) operates a FREE FOOD PANTRY open to everyone. From Monday to Friday, we offer emergency top up food for our clients and for anyone who walks through our doors - limited to one visit per household per week. We gratefully accept and share donated foods that are safe and fresh for use. This project is made possible through grant funding from the United Way of BC and the generous support of Robson Valley residents. To connect with RVCS, call 1-844-324-2004 or email info@rvcsbc.org. The local Food Bank is also available at 250 569 3186.

GHURGH NEWS N' THINGS

McBride Evangelical Free Church on First Avenue at Lonsdale Street. Sunday worship at 10:30am. Sunday school Sept. - May @ 9:30am - 10:15am for ages 5 - 10. Potluck on the last Sunday of each month, all are welcome. Weekly Bible study in small groups, reach out for more details. 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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Important Phone Numbers

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K to 7 School ..	250-569-2721	Food Bank.....	250-569-3186
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