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**MOVING SALE**

Moving Sale: Beaverview Lodge, Unit #9, 1084 - 5th Ave., McBride, BC. April 28th & 29th. 9a.m. - 3p.m. both days. Household goods. Please no early birds.

**COMING EVENTS**

Robson Valley Trappers' Meeting, Sunday, April 26, 10:00. Kelly McNaughton's Shop, 6560 Pepper Pit Rd., Dunster. Come hear the latest info from the Trappers' Convention. Info: Kelly 250-968-4400.

Announcing the Annual Spring Fling Fashion Show!! Offered by the Anglican United Church Thrift Store. Friday, May 8th, 2026 from 11a.m. - 1:00p.m. Still only \$5.00. Light Luncheon to be served. Presented in the Anglican United Church, next door to the Thrift Store. Come celebrate your Mom Sister, Niece, and or Granddaughter... Thrift Store will be open afterwards for your shopping pleasure. Thank you for your support of our Thrift Store!

**SAVE THE DATE;** McBride and District Hospital Auxiliary Strawberry Tea is May 22nd from 10am to 3pm at the Elks Hall. Preorders for cake are being accepted by texting or calling Tavanna (250) 569-7916. Free delivery of preorders, \$7 per cake topped with strawberries and whipped cream. Thank you to our community for supporting our "sweet" endeavour!!

**LIBRARY NEWS**

Miniature Painting, Saturday, April 25, 1:30-3:30. Ages 10+. Anyone is welcome to join this drop in workshop facilitated by Jeff Nadwidny.

Craft Time for Children & Caregivers. Thursday, April 30, 11:00-11:30 - Children ages 3-6 and their caregivers are welcome to join us following "Sunshine Stories & Songs" to create and discover together. This monthly program occurs on the last Thursday of every month at 11:00.

Craft Club. Tuesdays 3:00-4:30. This hands-on program is the perfect place students in grades 4-7 to try new crafts and hang out with friends.

Youth Book Club. Tuesdays 3:30-5:00. Participants will vote on what to read, pick accompanying activities, and shape the club's vibe. Join anytime.

Fiber Artist Group. Wednesdays 10:00-12:00. Work on a project in any medium. Beginners welcome.

Sunshine Stories. Thursdays 10:30-11:00. Stories and songs for ages 0-6 and their caregivers.

D&D for Teens. Thursdays 3:30-6:00. Led by teens for teens. Looking for new players. No experience needed.

Writing Group. Fridays 1:30-3:00. Adults are welcome to bring anything they are working on for some uninterrupted writing time.

**RVGS NEWS**

**FRIs: Family Place Drop-In** is on 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](mailto:events@rvcsbc.org).

**McBride FPDI** is excited to offer swimming sessions every Friday in April! Families can register their children for two preferred swim days, and may also select a third "waitlist" day by emailing [charlene@rvcsbc.org](mailto:charlene@rvcsbc.org), or calling 1-844-324-2004. Waitlist spots may open depending on availability, so please choose your #1, #2, and waitlist options in order of preference. Our goal is to ensure all spaces are filled and that as many families as possible can participate. We look forward to seeing you at the pool!

**THUR., APR. 23:** Seniors are invited to join us this Earth Day for a gentle adventure into nature. We'll be taking seniors to the Bird Sanctuary at Horseshoe Lake to enjoy the sights, sounds, and beauty of our surrounding area. This will be on Thursday, April 23rd. Meet at 942 3rd Avenue at 1:30pm if you require transportation. Let's celebrate our Earth by slowing down, observing, and appreciating the land we call home. Back-up plan in case weather does not cooperate is in place!

**THUR., APR. 30:** Seniors are invited to join us for Tech Drop-in, April 30, 2026, from 12:00pm to 2:00pm. This month's topic: Preparing to Learn Online. Drop in for friendly tech support, guidance, and help. Presented in partnership with Connected Canadians, at the RVCS office in McBride, 942 3rd Avenue, McBride.

**Need help filing your taxes?** We've got you covered! Robson Valley Community Services is proud to offer FREE tax clinics through the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP) with the CRA. If you have a modest income and a simple tax situation, our trained volunteers are here to help you get your taxes done safely, confidentially, and at no cost to you. Open for walk ins and drop offs, Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:00pm. Robson Valley Community Services in Both Valemount & McBride. Come on by, or reach out by phone 250-569-2266, or email [info@rvcsbc.org](mailto:info@rvcsbc.org) if you'd like 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 BUS .....	844-564-7494	Report Forest Fires -	1-800-663-5555

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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Tax papers should be at the McBee office no later than April 27th to E-File by the April 30th deadline.

Personal Income Tax Services

Up to April 30th regular hours are 10 am - 3 pm, weekdays only at 532 Main Street.

May and onward: Hours will be 10 am - 3 pm Tuesdays and Wednesdays  
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 Dave Barnett, Marie Brown, Dylan Vizza, Angela Littlechild, Holly Roth, Susanne Carmont (Kerr), Juliana Vizza, David Blouin, Maggie Robinson, Kelly Harding, and to any we have missed, Happy Birthday.

**McBride Elks/Royal Purple Annual Pioneer Days**  
 Make sure you put June 5-7, 2026 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 by May 1st. 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 Tanya Phillips 250-569-7788.

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**CHURCH 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 - layed Celebration of the Word. Ph: 250-569-2606. •**Mountain Chapel** (Pentecostal Assembly of Canada) at Third and Main Streets, McBride. Services held Sundays at 11am. Open to all. Youth Group meets Sundays at 6pm. All Youth welcome. Minister's phone 250-569-0291.

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**Notice of Public Meeting**  
 2026 - 2030 Five-Year Financial Plan

A public meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 28, 2026 in the Village of McBride Council Chambers (100 Robson Centre, 855 SW Frontage Road) at 6:00 pm to allow public consultation regarding the proposed Capital and Operating Budgets in accordance with Section 166 of the Community Charter.

If you are unable to attend in person, you can submit your comments regarding the 2026-2030 Five-Year Financial Plan in one of the following ways, by 2:00 pm on Monday, April 27, 2026

- Mailing or hand delivering a letter to Village of McBride: PO Box 519 100 Robson Centre, 855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC V0J 2E0 Attention: Jeanette McDougall, Chief Administrative Officer/CO
- By email to [cas@mcbride.ca](mailto:cas@mcbride.ca) or [mcbride@mcbride.ca](mailto:mcbride@mcbride.ca)

Written Comments received will be published on the meeting agenda distributed to Council for their consideration.

The agenda for this public meeting and additional information about the 2026 - 2030 Five-Year Financial Plan is available on the Village's website at [www.mcbride.ca](http://www.mcbride.ca).

Jeanette McDougall  
 Corporate Officer

**WE'RE THRILLED TO PRESENT...**  
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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](mailto: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](http://www.fpas.ca). Scott & Susan (Oscar & Broom)  
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