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**2026 Back to School**  
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**FREE The little McBride Paper FREE**

Serving BC's Friendliest Town and Area since 1996!!!  
 For the week of Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2026

**THANK YOU**

"Kudos" to the Heartland (Sandman) Restaurant staff for their service on Sunday, August 23, from the young lady bussing tables, to the waitresses - one pulled into service when she was just there for lunch herself; the waiter, as well as the kitchen staff. A job well done, in a very busy situation! -E. Johnson

**COMING EVENTS**

**McBride Seniors Birthday Tea Celebration.** We invite those seniors who had a birthday in August &/or will have one in September to join us to help you celebrate with cake, tea, coffee & old time songs. We will meet in the common room in the Beaver View Lodge at 2:00p.m., September 9th. Watch for information coming regarding the September Pot Luck lunch on the 23rd!

**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**McBride Community Market** Fridays starting at 11:00am. Hope to see everyone there!

**The Dunster Farmers** market has started its 46th year of markets! It will be held every Saturday from 11:00am to 1:00pm until the end of September at Dunster Community Hall. No fee for vendors! All welcome! Once again we will be offering amazing "Buy-Local Burgers", locally made veggie burgers, hot dogs, coffee and juice so you can have a nice lunch while visiting with your friends and neighbours. Vegetables, plants, home baking, local arts and crafts, household and miscellaneous goodies are usually available at great prices. For more information call Pete at 250-968-4334.

**LIBRARY NEWS**

**FREE BOOKS** - Donations and non-fiction discards have flooded the library. Please help them to find a good home, for yourself or someone you know. Anything on the carpet or outside is up for grabs.

**Summer Reading Club** - Wednesdays 1-2:15 - Grades 1-4. Join us to make Jellyfish on August 19 and for the medal ceremony on August 26 for completing your reading goal (50 days over the summer). If you can't make, extra medals will be available.

**Lego Robotics** - Fridays 12-1:30 for grades 5-9. Cool coding and building projects. Please call to register, spaces are limited.

**Children's Summer Programs** - All children's programming will be offered until the end of August.

**BUY, SELL, RENT & MISG.**

**Commercial building** suited for AirBnB or a residence with a small business. Renovated and upgraded heritage church. Full village services. \$295,000 obo. 250-569-7504 • **2017 mobile home**-14x56, 784 sq. ft. 1 bedroom, 1.5 bathroom. Immaculate condition. Deck, porch and skirting included. Asking 90,000.00. Call Ed 250-569-7006 or Margaret 250-569-7506 • **Wanted**-Old Stihl Chainsaw O-90, O-75, O76, O56, etc. Ph: Mark 705-888-1975 • **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.

**The Little McBride Paper** is On-Line at [www.fpas.ca](http://www.fpas.ca) including a word-search puzzle that you can do on-line. Plus check out all the past issues of The Little McBride Paper in the Archives section, and check out our advertiser links as well.

**FALLING STAR RANCH**

Upcoming  
**Dog Training Classes**  
 in Dunster!  
 With Birgit Stutz,  
 Professional Dog Trainer  
 at Caring K9 Institute.

Classes run once a week for 5 weeks:  
 Saturdays, September 19 and 26 and October 3, 10 and 17 at Falling Star Ranch in Dunster.

**Puppies with Potential! Puppy Level 1 classes, 1.30-2.20 pm.** For puppies between 3 and 5 months of age at the start of class

- Puppies need to be up to date on their puppy vaccination protocol (at least 2nd set of shots)
- Cost: \$180 for 5 sessions

**Obedience Level 1 classes, 2.30-3.20 pm.** Suitable for dogs ages 9 months and up

- Dogs need to be up to date on their vaccinations (including Bordetella) • Cost: \$180 for 5 sessions.

**Introduction to Trick Training classes, 3.30-4.20 pm.** Learn 25-30 tricks!

- Dogs need to be up to date on their vaccinations (including Bordetella)
- If you have a reactive dog, please contact Birgit prior to registering. • Cost: \$200 for 5 sessions.

Maximum of 8 puppies/dogs per class  
 For more information visit  
<https://fallingstarranch.ca/dog-training/>  
 To register, contact Birgit at 250-968-6801 (leave message) or by email at [info@fallingstarranch.ca](mailto:info@fallingstarranch.ca).  
 Also offering private sessions (in-person and virtual) year-round.

**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. |                                      |

**Take a Break in McBride...B.C.'s Friendliest Town!!**

**VALLEY MUSEUM & ARCHIVES**

Have you surrounded yourself with all the colourful quilts of the Valley Piecemakers Quilt Guild???

*Last chance!*

The Quilt Show continues until Sept. 4

**MUSEUM OPEN Tuesday to Friday 10-4pm**

**Robson Valley Traffic Control**  
 is looking for physically active individuals to work as traffic control personnel.

**Must pass a drug and alcohol test.**

**Interested individuals should call John Peterson at 250-569-4056.**

**CONCRETE & GRAVEL SALES & DELIVERY**

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| 3/4 minus Crush Gravel    | River Run Gravel 3" minus |
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 5pm - 9pm  
 Sunday 5pm-8pm

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# VILLAGE OF MCBRIDE



## Regular Council Meeting Schedule - 6pm

**Tuesday, September 8, 2026**  
**Tuesday, October 13, 2026**

Regular Council Meetings are held in Council Chambers at the Village Office and can be attended either in-person or via Zoom.

For a Zoom link, please send a request to [mcbride@mcbride.ca](mailto:mcbride@mcbride.ca) before 4pm on the day of the meeting.

## Office Visitor - goes by the name of "Otter"



## 2nd Annual McBride Show & Shine and Family Fun Day

**Thank you to all the volunteers for  
hosting the Show & Shine and  
Family Fun Day**



## PUBLIC NOTICE

**\*\*\*Hydrant Flushing\*\*\*  
Various Locations  
August/September 2026**



Public Works crews will be flushing hydrants in various locations across the Village of McBride beginning early August 2026.

During this process, residents may notice a temporary discolouration of the water or lower water pressure.

- If you notice a change in water colour, run your tap until the water turns clear.
- Water pressure changes are due to flushing the hydrants, and pressure changes will last approximately 30 minutes.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we complete this important maintenance work.

## ICBC Safety Tips - Back to School



### Tips for drivers:

- Every school day, unless otherwise posted, a 30 km/h speed limit is in effect in school zones from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. In playground zones, a 30 km/h speed limit is in effect every day from dawn to dusk.
- Watch for school buses. When their lights are flashing, vehicles approaching from both directions must stop.

### Tips for parents and caregivers:

- If you drop off your child in a school zone, they should exit the car on the side closest to the sidewalk.
- Teach your child the basics of crossing the street:
- Stop at the curb or edge of the road.
- Look left and right for oncoming vehicles, then look left over your shoulder for vehicles that might be turning.
- Make sure all vehicles have stopped before entering the road. Make eye contact with drivers before crossing, even if the walk signal is on.
- When the intersection is clear, start crossing and keep looking for approaching vehicles.

### For more information go to:

<https://www.icbc.com/about-icbc/newsroom/2024-aug-21-school>

For any Public Works emergencies outside of regular business hours, please call 250-569-7743



[www.mcbride.ca](http://www.mcbride.ca)



250-569-2229



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Incredible mountain backdrop at the McBride  
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**If You Had to Leave in Ten Minutes,  
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Wildfire situations can change fast, and if an evacuation order is issued, there won't be time to gather what you need.

A grab-and-go bag solves that in advance. Medications, documents, chargers, water, and a change of clothes, packed and waiting by the door for each member of your household.

Pets included.

If you already have one, this is a good time to check it over and replace anything that has expired.

**Pack Your Bag Today!**

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-management/preparedbc/build-an-emergency-kit-and-grab-and-go-bag>



**BRITISH COLUMBIA  
FireSmart**



**2026 General Local Election - Important Election Period  
Dates**

|                                                  |                                               |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Nomination Period Begins at 9:00 am              | Tuesday, September 1, 2026                    |
| Nomination Period Ends at 4:00 pm                | Friday, September 11, 2026                    |
| Declaration of Candidates after 4:00 pm          | Friday, September 11, 2026                    |
| Candidate Nomination Withdrawal Deadline 4:00 pm | Friday, September 18, 2026                    |
| End of Election Period                           | Friday, September 18, 2026, at 12:00 midnight |
| Start of Campaign Period                         | Saturday, September 19, 2026, at 12:01 am     |

**Corporate  
Corner**



**2026 Local Government Election  
October 17, 2026**

**Interested in Running for Mayor or Council?**

If you are interested in running for an elected official position and would like to have an informal meeting with the Village of McBride's Chief Administrative Officer/Corporate Officer (CAO/CO) to discuss roles, responsibilities and expectations of serving on Council, please contact the CAO/CO by email at [cao@mcbride.ca](mailto:cao@mcbride.ca) or by phone 250-569-2229. The CAO/CO would be pleased to provide anyone interested with the opportunity to learn more about elected office and to ask questions to gain a better understanding of the commitment involved in serving your community.