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McBRIDE SENIORS NEWS

The McBride Seniors invite you to a Hamburger BBQ at the Beaver View Lodge for lunch at 12:00 on September 30th. We are asking for Pot Luck Desserts and or Salads. Come out and see what we are all about and perhaps join our group.

IN LOVING MEMORY

Don Gordon's Memorial Service will be October 4, 2026. 11am Service, 1pm Luncheon in the McBride SDA Church.
THANK YOU - I would like to thank everyone for their condolences for the passing of my mother Linda. A Celebration of life will be held next year. ~Sue

THRIFT STORE NEWS

We, the Anglican United Church Thrift Store ladies would like to advertise that the Thrift Store will be open 9-12, on the third Saturday of the month, until further notice. We hope this is a convenient time for those who work during our regular hours of Tuesday and Fridays 1-3. Thanks you all for your support of our shop, whether donating, shopping or putting in hours of work, cleaning, sorting and manning the till. You are all very much appreciated! McBride AUCW..

BIRTHDAY WISHES SEPT. 23-29

Adam Roth, Brandon McLennan, Cole Peterson, Dana Phillips, Iyla Ondang, Loretta Simpson, Quinn Bassani, Hal Carmont, Marissa Quam, Bryce Nick, Shayne McCrear, Elizabeth Perkins, Tanya Klassen, Levi Klassen, Tony Wallis, Connie Vizza, Zeke Bressette, Joyce Mynio, Laurel Berg, Pat Elliott, and to any we have missed.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

A LITTLE THINKER... LIBRARY NEWS

I tried to catch fog yesterday - I mist.

Libby Users Update. As of October 13, Libby users will require a password to access e-books and audiobooks. This will be the password normally associated with your library account. Contact the library if you need for assistance.

Youth Book Club - Tuesdays 4:00-5:00. Tired of reading what someone else picks? Participants will vote on what to read, lead the discussions, pick awesome accompanying activities and shape the club's vibe. The adults will pick up the tab for the snacks. Join the story: a book club where you choose the adventure. Facilitated by our Youth Programs Clerk. Feel free to join this teen program anytime.

Legal Presentation - Tuesday, October 20 - 1:00-2:30. Are you ready for incapacity, end-of-life, and other support needs? It's Personal Planning Month, so join lawyer Florence Ng for a free public webinar. Topics include why is a Representation Agreement essential, am I covered by my Will, what if I can't speak for myself, why should I register my legal documents.

McBride & District PUBLIC LIBRARY

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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 Hall250-569-3117
The Little McBride Paper 250-569-3110	
BC BUS...844-564-7494	Report Forest Fires - 1-800-663-5555
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CLOSED OCT. 12TH FOR THANKSGIVING

MBCSA

McBride Big Country Snowmobile Club AGM

October 7th, 2026 @ 6:30 PM

Welcome Home,

289 Main Street, McBride

There will be an Election of Vice President, Secretary & multiple Director positions, voting is members only.

Social with finger foods following the meeting, all are welcome & encouraged to attend.

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Closed Wednesday, Sept. 30 for National Day

for Truth and Reconciliation

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THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF MCBRIDE

2026 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 28, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.**, unless the delinquent taxes plus interest are paid prior to that date.

Folio/Roll #	Legal Description	Civic Address	Upset Price
197.500	Lot 10, Block 16, PGP 1373, DL 5316 Cariboo Land District, PID 013-917-021	807 5 th Ave.	\$8,413.60
283.013	Lot C, PGP 25678, DL 5316 Cariboo Land District, PID 007-529-350	542 Main St.	\$6,871.14

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

A LITTLE THINKER...

Bigfoot is sometimes confused with Sasquatch; Yeti never complains.

ROBSON VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES

Contractors Wanted!

Robson Valley Community Services is seeking proposals from qualified contractors for a building expansion project in Valemount, BC. RFP packages are available upon request. **Attention! The deadline to submit the RFP for 1444 5th Ave. Construction Project has been extended to Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2026.**

Contact ed@rvcsbc.org for details.

RVCS NEWS

Thurs., Sept. 24th: AUTUMN EQUINOX: WELCOMING FALL 1:30pm to 3:30pm, 942 3rd Avenue, McBride RVCS. Join us for an afternoon of learning and discussion as we explore the Autumn Equinox, the official beginning of the fall season. Seniors Welcome.

Thurs., Oct. 1ST: Join us for an afternoon of learning and discussion as we reflect on the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation from 1:30pm to 3:30pm at RVCS in McBride 942 3rd Avenue. Refreshments and a light snack will be served. Seniors welcome.

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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.

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 (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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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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Duties include general housekeeping and cleaning.

Applicants must be dependable, detail-oriented, hardworking, trustworthy, and take pride in maintaining a clean and professional environment.

Able to work independently.

Experience is an asset but not required.

Please contact: MOL-CAP Investments Ltd.

Teresa Caputo 250-569-7600

Aaron Walchuk performing LIVE this Sat. Sept. 26th 6:30-8:30pm (door opens at 6pm)

Fri. Sept. 25th is National Quesadilla Day so we're celebrating with a Nacho Lunch Special

DINNER UPDATE - SEPT. 29th IS FULLY BOOKED

HONEY GARLIC GLAZED CHICKEN BREAST W RICE AND VEG

OCT. 8th (PREVIOUSLY OCT. 6th) IS ALSO FULLY BOOKED

SALISBURY STEAK & GRAVY OVER MASHED POTATOES W VEG AND PUMPKIN PIE.

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

We will be closed Wed. Sept. 30th

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The Corporation of the Village of McBride

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

An election by voting is to be held to elect one (1) Mayor, and four (4) Councillors, and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

MAYOR – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
ANTYPOV	Erik	McBride
YETTER	Cody	McBride
RUNTZ	Gene	McBride

COUNCILLOR – Four (4) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
BENNETT	Tina	McBride
VICKERY	Kat	McBride
SCHAFER	Rick	McBride
BENDER	Jasper	McBride
RYAN	Meagan	McBride
GLOVER	Sharon	McBride
FREAR	Glen	McBride
JOHNSON	Cassandra	McBride

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:

**Saturday, OCTOBER 17TH 2026, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm
at Council Chambers, 100 Robson Centre
855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC**

ADVANCE VOTING will be held as follows:

**Wednesday, OCTOBER 7TH 2026, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm
at Council Chambers, 100 Robson Centre
855 SW Frontage Road, McBride, BC**

A SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITY for electors who are qualified under the Local Government Act and who, on the date on which the special voting opportunity is held, and before the end of the voting hours for the special voting opportunity, **have been admitted as patients to the McBride & District Hospital or are residents of the Beaver View Lodge:**

Friday, OCTOBER 16TH 2026

**McBride & District Hospital
10:00 am to 11:00 am**

**Beaverview Lodge
11:30 am to 12:30 pm**

ELECTOR REGISTRATION

If you are not on the list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the application form available at the voting place and making a declaration that you meet the requirements to be registered as set out below:

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

To register as a resident elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day Saturday, October 17th, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a resident of the Village of McBride on the day of registration; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

To register as a non-resident property elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day Saturday, October 17th, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a registered owner of real property in the Village of McBride for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

In addition, for non-resident property electors:

- The only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust.
- If more than one person is registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.

- In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

To register, resident electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

To register, non-resident property electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, **proof** that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, **written consent** from the other property owners.

Sherri Flynn
Chief Election Officer