



REGIONAL DISTRICT
of Fraser-Fort George

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MEDIA RELEASE

HORSE-FRIENDLY UPGRADES AT KOENEMAN PARK

The Regional District of Fraser Fort George is working with volunteers from the Robson Valley Backcountry Horsemen to make some horse-friendly additions to Koeneman Park in McBride.

The park is getting hitching rails and an informational kiosk as part of ongoing work on non-motorized multi-use trails on the lower slopes of McBride Peak.

The Robson Valley Mountain Bike Association and the Robson Valley Chapter of the Backcountry Horsemen of BC (BCHBC) will be continuing work this summer those trails. The trails will not be open for public use until the construction is completed, expected to be later this summer or fall. Day-use equestrian riders will access the trails from a staging area at the Northeast corner of Koeneman Park as the McBride Peak Road is not recommended for horse trailers.

Robson Valley Backcountry Horsemen volunteers will be assisting Regional District staff in the installation of hitching rails and an informational kiosk at the staging area this summer.

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