

Obituary

Eleanor 'El' Alice Simonsen

April 1, 1928 – February 4, 2017

After 88 elegant years as a wife, mother, and friend to many, Eleanor Simonsen passed on Saturday, February 4, 2017 at Hospice House in Bend. Born April 1, 1928, in Passaic, New Jersey, to William Severus and Marie (Besemer) Kievit of Clifton, New Jersey.



After an early career in New York City as a legal secretary she eventually settled in northern New Jersey to start a family after marrying Warren "Cy" Simonsen. Over the years, the family resided in Connecticut, Utah, and Maine.

A resident of Sisters since 1993, she found the town to be her life-long home and enjoyed the community and the many friends she developed over the decades. Her family wishes to extend their love to everyone who touched her life.

Eleanor is survived by her son, Gregg Simonsen and was pre-deceased by her husband, Warren "Cy" Simonsen; daughter, Kathleen "Apple" Eddy; brother William "Duke" Elbert Kievit; sister-in-law, Mildred Postma of Flemington, New Jersey; niece, Jacqueline MCCaully

and her husband James of Ringoes, NJ. She is also survived by Warren's first cousin Roger "Si" Simonsen and his wife, Jeanne, of Redmond. Finally, Eleanor is survived by countless friends and dogs who were family — only not related by blood.

Her family wishes to thank the many neighbors and friends who provided her friendship and support helping her to preserve her dignity as her health gradually declined, allowing her to maintain the home she so loved.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, February 11 at 10 a.m. at The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration, 68825 Brooks Camp Rd. in Sisters, 541-549-7087; with a reception in the community hall following.

Three positions up for election on school board

Sisters School District will have three open board positions on the May 16 ballot. Candidates for positions 1, 2, and 5 will be elected for four-year terms.

The candidate filing period began February 4 and ends March 16. Interested candidates must file with the

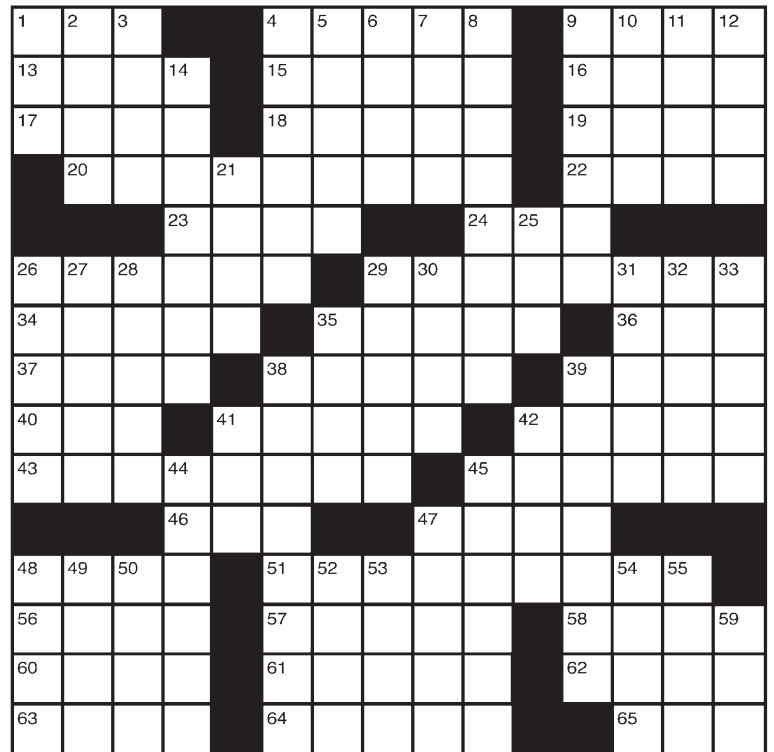
Deschutes County Clerk no later than 5 p.m. on March 16.

Forms are available at the Sisters School District Administration Office, Deschutes County Clerk's Office and online at <https://www.deschutes.org/clerk/page/candidate-measure-filing-forms>.

The Nugget Newspaper Crossword

By Jacqueline E. Mathews, Tribune News Service

- ACROSS**
- 1 "___ did the chicken cross the road?"
 - 4 ___ up; absorbs
 - 9 Crooked deal
 - 13 Place for a horseshoe
 - 15 Long shirt
 - 16 Drifter
 - 17 Meanie
 - 18 Colorful flower
 - 19 ___ with the punches; adapt
 - 20 Easily hurt
 - 22 Not brand-new
 - 23 Automobiles
 - 24 CD followers
 - 26 Bits of parsley
 - 29 Good-looking
 - 34 Actor Michael
 - 35 Authority; say-so
 - 36 Swindle
 - 37 Ladder piece
 - 38 Was nosy
 - 39 Dundee native
 - 40 ___ for; request
 - 41 Surface luster
 - 42 Throw water on
 - 43 Sloppiest
 - 45 Closer
 - 46 One ___ million; treasured friend
 - 47 Drop of sorrow or joy
 - 48 Stockings
 - 51 Writing quickly and awkwardly
 - 56 Cheerios ingredients
 - 57 Got up
 - 58 In ___; destitute
 - 60 "Put up or ___ up"
 - 61 Tree houses?
 - 62 San Francisco's Golden ___ Bridge
 - 63 Canned fish
 - 64 Twitter message
 - 65 Light brown
- DOWN**
- 1 "___ goes there?"; sentry's cry
 - 2 Swine
 - 3 Days of ___; yesteryear
 - 4 Elevator alternative
 - 5 Forces out of office
 - 6 One opposed
 - 7 Ukraine's capital
 - 8 Examined job applicants
 - 9 ___ off; disregards
 - 10 Pigeon cries
 - 11 Up to the task
 - 12 Shape
 - 14 Using an épée
 - 21 Cooking herb
 - 25 HST's predecessor
 - 26 "Get lost!"
 - 27 DVD player remote button
 - 28 Skating ovals
 - 29 Lift with effort
 - 30 Flabbergasts
 - 31 Take place
 - 32 Bullwinkle, e.g.
 - 33 Go in
 - 35 Experts
 - 38 Nice
 - 39 Flying high
 - 41 ___ rummy
 - 42 Good buy
 - 44 Afternoon nap
 - 45 Most modern
 - 47 Single bite
 - 48 Party-giver
 - 49 Hawaiian island
 - 50 Astonish
 - 52 Rowing team
 - 53 JFK's mother
 - 54 As ___ as a pin
 - 55 "___ move on!"; cry to a loiterer
 - 59 Cozy room



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