

Edwin Irving Hood

Oct. 1931 - May 2016

Edwin Irving Hood, 84, of Baker City died May 28, 2016 at his residence. A graveside service was held at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Baker City on Wed., June 8, 2016 with Pastor Jesse Whitford of the Baker City Christian Church officiating.

Ed was born Oct. 22, 1931 in Lewiston, Maine to Hewett C. Hood and Lillian P. (Stackhouse) Hood. He graduated from college in 1957 with a Bachelor degree and a certificate in aeronautical engineering. He served in the United States Marine Corp as a Sergeant for three years seeing combat in North Korea. After the Marine Corp, Ed was self employed as a commercial fisherman and retired after 30 years. On Oct. 22, 2014, Edwin and Dorothy Eddings were married in Baker City.

He had many interesting and accomplishments during his life some of those include; working as a farm hand, cutting wood, carpentry, building boats, commercial fishing, entrepreneurship, inventing, mining, and prospecting.

Edwin is survived by his wife Dorothy Eddings of Baker City.

He is preceded in death by his first wife Mildred T. Hood.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society through Gray & Company Pioneer Chapel, 1500 Dewey Ave., Baker City, OR 97814.

To light a candle in memory of Ed visit www.grayswest.com



Teresa (Terri) Lynn Martin Morris

March 1963 - May 2016

Teresa (Terri) Lynn Martin Morris, 53, of St. Helens, Ore. passed away on May 24, 2016 in Portland, Ore. surrounded by her family. A graveside service was held June 6, 2016 at Mt. Hope Cemetery with Bishop Kim Eardley of The Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter day Saints officiating. A luncheon will be held for friends and family following the service at the church.

Terri was born March 23, 1963 in Baker City to Keith and Jan Martin. She graduated from Baker High School and worked at the Inland Farm where she met her husband Donald William Morris. On April 27, 1981 Bill and Terri were married and moved from Baker City shortly after. Terri had been ill from childhood through adulthood and instead of complaining about feeling poorly, Terri found ways to add humor to her illnesses.

She is survived by her parents, Keith and Jan Martin, sister Tricia Clark, close friend Val Pariseau, Bobbie (Keith) Carpenter and family, Uncles Rick (Verna) Taylor, Wayne (Caron) Brock, nieces Nikki and Terri Clark, Uncle Darrell (Emmalou) Long and family, husband Donald William Morris, mother-in-law Patricia (Allen) Bork, brother-in-law Dwayne Bert Morris Jr.

She is preceded in death by her grandparents, Robert and Billie Taylor, Lezetta and Bob Martin, great-grandmother Blayne Long, brother-in-law Patrick A. Morris, her father-in-law Dwayne Bert Morris Sr., her grandfather-in-law John Conrad Allen and grandmother-in-law Madeleine Allen.

To light a candle in memory of Terri, please visit: www.grayswestco.com



Frances Carol Smithson

Oct. 1946 - May 2016

Frances Carol Smithson, surrounded by her family, passed away on Monday, May 23, 2016, at her home in Sparta Ore. She was 69 years of age. A celebration of Frances's life will be held at a later date.

Frances was born October 10, 1946 in Hillsboro, Ore., to Keith and Edra Dangerfield. Her family moved to Grants Pass, Ore. in 1952. This is where she spent most of her life. In Grants Pass, she met her husband, Bob Smithson. They married in 1963 and went on to have six children.

Frances was a loving daughter, sister, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and friend. She had a love for sewing, reading, gardening, and caring for people. She worked for over 30 years at Highland House Nursing Center in Grants Pass. She moved to Sparta in 2012 to care for her aging parents.

Frances is survived by children; Sherry Smithson of Sparta; Bobby Smithson of West Linn, Ore.; Cindy Smithson of Palmer, Alaska; Sandy Smith of Eagle Point, Ore.; Angela Smithson of Sparta; and Stephen Smithson and wife Alysea of Portland, Ore.. She is also survived by her father, World War II veteran, Keith E Dangerfield of Sparta; sister, Margaret Ann Lutman of Grants Pass; brother, Michael Dangerfield of Roseburg, Ore.; 12 grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and dearest friends Glenda McCloud of Grants Pass, and Linda Williams of Anchorage, Alaska.

She was preceded in death by her mother Edra "Bobby" Dangerfield and her uncle Leroy Billings and Francis Billings.

For those who would like to make a memorial donation in memory of Frances, the family suggests Heart and Home Hospice through Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & CS, PO Box 543 Halfway, OR 97834. Online condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com



ODOT reduces speed limit to 55 on four sections of U.S. 97, U.S. 20

ODOT Deputy Director for Highway Paul Mather announced today that speed limits for two segments of U.S. 97 and two segments of U.S. 20 will be reduced to 55 mph. The changes will take effect when new speed limit signs are posted—expected in the next two to three weeks.

"Engineering analyses and review of crash data indicate that there are some areas where the speed limit should be lower," Mather said. "We are implementing temporary speed zone orders that allow ODOT to reduce speeds in these areas as soon as signs can be posted."

The four segments where ODOT is reducing the speed limit from 65 to 55 mph are:

- U.S. 97 from Madras to Terrebonne (about 16.5 miles)
- U.S. 97 at the La Pine south city limit (1 mile)
- U.S. 20 from the Bend east city limit to Dodds Road (6 miles)
- U.S. 20 from Vale to Cairo Junction (about 11.5 miles)

Speed limits increased on about 300 miles of inter-

state highway and about 1,200 miles of non-interstate highways March 1, following a new state law. ODOT traffic engineers performed initial engineering analyses and studied crash data on these roadways, reviewing both the characteristics of the road and how drivers reacted to driving at higher speeds. Criteria included speed, traffic volume, crash history and density of driveways and public streets connecting to the highway. This initial analysis led to today's announcement to reduce speed on about 35 highway miles.

These temporary speed zone orders will last for one year. During that time, ODOT will refine the criteria; evaluate the performance of more highway segments; and discuss the analysis with the State Speed Zone Review Panel to determine if the changes should be made permanent.

"We will continue to analyze how drivers are reacting to traveling at higher speeds on highway segments with complex characteristics," Mather said. "And when justified, we will recommend changing speeds on other segments."

Haines News

City Council

The City of Haines will hold a public meeting on Tuesday, June 14 at 7 p.m. at the Haines City Hall. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the City's budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016. It has been approved by the City of Haines Budget Committee. The City Hall is located at 819 Front Street.

Following that meeting, the regular City Council meeting will convene. Subjects to be discussed include the salary of the City Recorder, and the city's water and sewer rates. The public is welcome to attend.

Friends of Haines

The Friends of Haines are extremely busy with the planning of the Haines Old Time Fourth of July Celebration. This year's parade Queen is Nina Stephens. The Grand Marshal is Richard (Richie) Stephens. The RC will honor these two well-deserving community members in the weeks ahead.

In years past the Friends of Haines have hosted the pit barbecue in the park. This year brings a new and exciting idea; the North Powder FFA will host

this important event. All proceeds will go to these great kids and their programs. No greater reason to plan to eat at the Haines Park following the parade!

Friends of Haines Board Member, Garla Rowe, is recruiting folks to host kid's activities in the lot next to the Haines Mercantile. Already committed are a dunk tank (that sounds pretty good this week), and face painting. If you are interested in helping host a kid's activity, contact Garla at the store (541) 856-3461.

Their next meeting will be Monday, June 13, at 7 p.m. at the Haines Steak House.

By the way, a special tip of the hat goes to City Staff members, Valerie, Josh and Doug. Few people understand just how much work these three good people so to make the fourth a great success. By the way, the City of Haines is looking fabulous and ready for company on Independence Day!

Pinochle

The Pinochle Party was held on June 2, at the Wolf Creek Grange. Laura Daugherty served

as hostess. High went to Laura Proebstel. Low went to Shelly Gray. Serving as substitutes were June Bauck and Judy Moe. Prizes went to June Bauck and Sandy Wood.

The Wedding Show

The Eastern Oregon Museum volunteers are very busy planning their summer exhibit: The History of Nuptials; A Wedding Extravaganza. The show opens on June 23 and will run thru September 4. A sneak peek last week at some of the dresses that are being brought out for exhibit suggest a lovely show. There have been a wonderful number of dresses that have been offered for the show from generous Baker County residents. The ladies of the E.O. Museum want to say THANK YOU. It will be a busy two weeks to get things in order but it proves to be great fun.

Remember, the Eastern Oregon Museum is now open for the season: The hours are Thursday thru Saturday: 10 - 4. Sunday hours are 12:30-3:30. Admission is free but donations are greatly appreciated.

ON YOUR MARK, GET SET, READ 2016 Summer Reading Program Theme

Young and Early readers will explore all things fitness and health this summer as Baker County Public Library presents "On Your Mark, Get Set... Read." Planned activities include a drama performance, group games, physical challenges, art projects, science and engineering experiments, and more.

The 2016 Summer Reading Program is open to young people, preschool through teenager, with programs, prize drawings, storytimes, and more. Our kickoff event will be a play by the Traveling Lantern troupe on June 15 at 10:00 am. Throughout the summer, we will also have special speakers, including the YMCA and Crossroads Carnegie Art Center, coming to talk to kids about eating

healthy, staying safe in the outdoors, and giving demonstrations and lessons.

Registration for "On Your Mark, Get Set, Read" has already begun and continues throughout the summer. If you wish to sign your child up, please visit the library for a reg-

istration form. We also have online registration through our library website at: www.bakerlib.org. For more information, call the library at 541-523-6419 and ask for Missy or visit our Facebook page.

All programs are free of charge.

Death and Service Notices

Darlene Ballard - A Graveside Service will be held on June 18, 2016 at 10 a.m. at the Union Cemetery in Union, Ore. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & CS. Online condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com.

Corina Zarkouski, 35, of Baker City passed away May 23, 2016 at her home. A memorial service will be held at Gray's West & Company Pioneer Chapel at 11 a.m. on Friday June 17, 2016. Corina's friends and family will be officiating the service. To light a candle, leave a condolence, or upload pictures in memory of Corina, please visit: www.grayswestco.com

Sherry Sue Sheridan, 71, of Halfway, died at her home on Monday, June 6, 2016. Sherry Sue's request was that there not be a service. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. On line condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com

Peggy Jo Cunningham, 58, of Baker City died at her home on Saturday, June 4, 2016.

Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. On line condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com

Carmie Bunde, 71, former Baker County resident died at her home in Elgin, Oregon on Saturday evening, June 4, 2016. A family gathering will be held when her son returns home from Afganistan. Arrangements are under the direction of Tami's Pine Valley Funeral Home & Cremation Services. On line condolences may be shared at www.tamispinevalleyfuneralhome.com

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