

DEATH NOTICES

Gladys M. Alderman

Heppner
May 16, 1919-Dec. 19, 2015

Gladys M. Alderman, 96, of Heppner died Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015, in Heppner. She was born May 16, 1919. Arrangements are pending at Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner.

Robert A. Barns

Ione
Sept. 21, 1930-Dec. 17, 2015

Robert A. Barns, 85, of Ione died Thursday, Dec. 17, 2015, at a Hermiston care facility. He was born Sept. 21, 1930, in Council Bluffs, Iowa. Arrangements are pending at Sweeney Mortuary of Hepper.

Richard Lue Grieves

La Grande
Sept. 30, 1931-Dec. 21, 2015

Former Pendleton resident Richard Lue Grieves, 84, of La Grande died Monday, Dec. 21, 2015, at a La Grande care facility. He was born Sept. 30, 1931. Arrangements are pending with Burns Mortuary of Pendleton.

Garnet C. Helm

Hermiston
Aug. 15, 1921-Dec. 19, 2015

Garnet C. Helm, 94, of Hermiston died Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015, at her home. She was born Aug. 15, 1921, in Bend. A private family burial will be held at the Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Daniel “Dhel” Hibbard

Heppner
Feb. 13, 1951-Dec. 19, 2015

Daniel “Dhel” Hibbard, 64, of Heppner died Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015, in Heppner. He was born Feb. 13, 1951. Arrangements are pending with Burns Mortuary of Pendleton.

Jerry Douglas Howerton

North Powder
June 26, 1937-Dec. 18, 2015

Jerry Douglas Howerton, 78, of North Powder died Friday, Dec. 18, 2015, in Hermiston. He was born June 26, 1937, in Grangeville, Idaho. A celebration of life gathering with military honors will be held at a later date. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

James B. Moore

Hermiston
May 27, 1936-Dec. 19, 2015

James B. Moore, 79, of Hermiston died Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015, at his home. He was born May 27, 1936, in Lonerock, Ore. A private family celebration gathering will be held. Burial will be at the Lonerock Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Clarence T. ‘Ted’ Morgan

Spray
Aug. 28, 1936-Dec. 20, 2015

Clarence T. “Ted” Morgan, 79, of Spray died Sunday, Dec. 20, 2015, in Bend. He was born Aug. 28, 1936, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Arrangements are pending at Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner.

Laverne O. ‘Bonnie’ Weitzel

Umatilla
Nov. 12, 1917-Dec. 17, 2015

Laverne O. “Bonnie” Weitzel, 98, of Umatilla died Thursday, Dec. 17, 2015, in Hermiston. She was born Nov. 12, 1917, in Saskatchewan, Canada. Recitation of the rosary will be held Saturday, Dec. 26 at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church in Hermiston, followed by mass of Christian burial at 11:30 a.m. Burial will be at Echo Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

COMING EVENTS

TUESDAY, DEC. 22

ADULT OPEN GYM, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Half-court basketball for adults. (541-276-8100).

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-276-8100).

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME, 10:30-11 a.m., Stanfield Public Library, 180 W. Coe Ave. (541-449-1254).

BOARDMAN SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St. Costs \$4 for seniors 55 or \$5 for adults. (541-481-3257).

HERMISTON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave. Costs \$4 or free for children under 10. Extra 50 cents for utensils/dishes. Meals on Wheels available. Transportation arranged by donation. (541-567-3582).

PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 noon, Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St. Costs \$3.50 or \$6 for those under 60. Pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks, Second Time Around thrift store 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals On Wheels, call 541-276-1926. (541-276-7101).

TAI CHI FOR BETTER BALANCE, 1:30-2:30 p.m., Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave. (Mickey 541-922-5580 or Helena 541-564-5443).

SAFETY FIRST LECTURE SERIES: ADVANCE DIRECTIVES, 3:30 p.m., McKay Creek Estates, 1601 Southgate Place, Pendleton. Learn about advance directives and eliminate confusion about legal documents while loved ones can still make decisions. (541-276-1987).

CRAFTERNOONS, 4 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. Drop in for a craft project. (541-966-0380).

THE ARC ACTIVITY NIGHT, 5:30-6:30 p.m., The Arc Umatilla County, 215 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Games, crafts and refreshments.

DIY @ THE LIBRARY, 6-8 p.m., Pendleton Public Library meeting room, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. Create two Gifts in a Jar. Free, but registration required. (541-966-0380).

PENDLETON KNITTING

GROUP, 6 p.m., Prodigal Son Brewery & Pub, 230 S.E. Court Ave. (541-966-0380).

PENDLETON EAGLES BINGO, 6:30-9 p.m., Pendleton Eagles Lodge No. 28, 428 S. Main St. (541-278-2828).

STORY AND CRAFT TIME, 6:30 p.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave. For elementary school-age children. (Lili Schmidt 541-938-8247)

HERMISTON EAGLES BINGO, 7 p.m., Hermiston Eagles Lodge, 160 N.W. Second St. (541-806-4553).

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23

ADULT OPEN GYM, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. Half-court basketball for adults. (541-276-8100).

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-276-8100).

BABY BOOGIE & TAPPIN’ TODDLERS, 10-10:45 a.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME, 10:15 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave. (541-966-0380).

STORY TIME, 11:15 a.m. to noon, Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

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Patricia ‘Pat’ Hawkins

Hermiston
November 17, 1938-December 17, 2015

Patricia “Pat” Hawkins of Hermiston, Oregon, was born on November 17, 1938, in Newcomerstown, Ohio, to parents Earl and Verna Walker. She died on December 17, 2015, in Richland, Washington, at the age of 77 years.

Pat was raised in Ohio and as a teen moved to California. She lived in Van Nuys, Calif., and was married to Al Hawkins on August 21, 1955, in Las Vegas, Nevada, when she was 16 and he was 21. Their love lasted. They lived in various locations in Southern California and moved to Delano, Calif., in 1974 where Pat managed restaurants and was a home interior consultant. They then moved to Soledad, Calif., which was regarded as the family home. Most of all, our memories were made there. Pat was a cook every year for the grape harvest crew. In 1990, they moved to Hermiston, Oregon. They (she mainly) owned and operated the Hat Rock Store until 1997.

In her free time, she liked to sew and crochet. Pat was the glue that held the family

together. She was the rule maker and the brains of the operation. She taught us all “the 6 o’clock rule.”

She is survived by her daughters Debbie Westfall and her husband Dennis, Bakersfield, Calif., and Cheri Hawkins, Hermiston, Ore.; brother Earl Walker, Claremont, Calif.; sister Margery Jones, Snohomish, Wash.; grandchildren Jerry and Wes Young, and Caitlin Wilson Seeley; great-grandchildren Jordan, Cobe, Isaac, Hannah, Cailyn, Casey, Cooper and Grant; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pat was preceded in death by her husband Al; her parents; a son Wayne; and three grandchildren: Kim, Josh and Wayne II “Bronc”.

A private family celebration gathering will be held.

Those who wish may make contributions in Pat’s memory to Shriners Hospital or St. Jukes Hospital.

Please sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, Oregon, is in care of arrangements.



Hawkins

Judy F. Smiley

Walla Walla
October 11, 1946-December 14, 2015

Judy F. Smiley, 69, passed away December 14, 2015, at Providence St. Mary Medical Center, Walla Walla, Wash. A celebration of life will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 29, 2015, at Mountain View-Colonial DeWitt, 1551 The Dalles Military Road, Walla Walla, WA 99362.

Korey Pollard, Judy’s nephew, will officiate.

Judy was born on October 11, 1946, in Holton, Kansas, to Leon and Alta (Wright) Amon. She attended schools in Milton-Freewater, Oregon, and was a 1964 graduate of Mac-Hi.

On August 20, 1966, she married Jack L. Smiley in Milton-Freewater. Through the years Judy enjoyed the opportunities she had in the different communities that they were brought to through Jack’s career as a school teacher. They were in Davenport, Wash., Pendleton, Ore., and Hermiston, Ore. While in Hermiston, Judy was actively involved in the community. She owned her own bookkeeping and accounting business and Slender You Fitness. She volunteered with the Booster Club and concession stands. Jack and Judy returned to Walla Walla in 1990.

Judy worked at various jobs throughout the valley for many years. She enjoyed being in sales, meeting

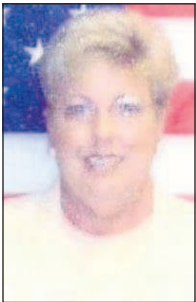
people and making many new friends. Judy was an avid supporter of sports with her husband, children and grandchildren. Her grandchildren were active in 4-H and FFA and Judy continued to stay involved. A very giving and helpful person, she was always taking people in and helping them out.

Judy is survived by her mother Alta Amon; two loving children, Julie Doty and her husband Zach, and Jeff Smiley; one sister, Melody Pollard; two brothers, Dan Amon and Scott Amon; three wonderful grand-

kids, Austin Leber, Hayden Leber and Brooke Smiley; and several nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her father, husband Jack on May 1, 2012, and longtime family friend Albert Saxton.

Memorial contributions may be made to Prescott High School (Jack Smiley Memorial Scholarship Fund) in care of Mountain View-Colonial DeWitt.

Judy’s family would like to thank the staff at Providence St. Mary Medical Center for their kindness, professionalism and caring support during Judy’s stay. Friends and family may share memories and sign the online guestbook at www.mountainview-colonialdewitt.com



Smiley

LOTTERY

Friday, Dec. 18

Megamillions
06-23-24-28-62
Megaball: 7
Megaplier: 5
Estimated jackpot: \$85 million
Lucky Lines
03-08-11-16-FREE-17-23-28-32
Estimated jackpot: \$10,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 7-3-5-3
4 p.m.: 4-6-5-0
7 p.m.: 0-3-5-0
10 p.m.: 0-7-9-8

Saturday, Dec. 19

Powerball
28-30-41-59-68
Powerball: 10
Power Play: 2
Estimated jackpot: \$202 million
Megabucks
14-21-27-31-33-42
Estimated jackpot: \$3.8 million

Lucky Lines

04-05-11-16-FREE-19-22-25-32
Estimated jackpot: \$11,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 2-6-3-7
4 p.m.: 1-5-2-7
7 p.m.: 5-0-2-8
10 p.m.: 7-0-7-6
Win for Life
21-53-68-70

Sunday, Dec. 20

Lucky Lines
02-06-10-14-FREE-17-21-26-29
Estimated jackpot: \$12,000
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 0-1-0-0
4 p.m.: 5-8-5-2
7 p.m.: 4-9-8-4
10 p.m.: 9-5-8-4

Monday, Dec. 21

Pick 4
1 p.m.: 5-2-8-1

Valorie Lea Sampson

Pilot Rock
February 6, 1952-December 18, 2015

Valorie Lea Sampson, age 63, of Pilot Rock died on December 18, 2015, in Grangeville, Idaho, with her family at her side. Valorie was born in Pendleton, Ore., on February 6, 1952, to Dennis and Helen Jobes. She was the second of six children.

From a very young age Valorie always knew what she wanted and at the age of 7 years old she found the love of her life, Sonny Sampson, and preceded to tell his mother, “Someday I am going to marry your son,” and she replied by saying, “I hope you do, honey.”

She followed her heart from that day on and dated Sonny throughout her high school years at Pilot Rock High, where she enjoyed cheer-leading and stayed active in her community, and loved nature.

Shortly after graduation Valorie made good on her word and married Sonny Sampson in Pilot Rock on December 26th, 1970. They wasted no time at all starting a family and 11 months later Valorie gave birth to her first baby boy, Travis Jerome. Within the next two years Valorie gave birth to Trisha Joy, and 15 months later along came Terra Jean. She was a busy young mother with three young ones under the age of four, but she loved nothing more than being a mother. Valorie wasn’t done adding to her family and 4 years later Tana Janelle was born.

Sonny and Val were raising their family on McKay Creek, which she always referred to her as her “little piece of heaven,” and they were enjoying life to the fullest. In 1982 Val and Sonny experienced the greatest tragedy of their lives, they lost their first born son in a terrible accident. Valorie was described as having the most broken heart of all time. It was a terribly painful time, but through Sonny and Val’s great love they were able to pick up the pieces and once again she learned to laugh and find beauty in the world.



Sampson

In 1984 God wasn’t done, he gave Valorie another little boy to love, Troy James.

Although being a mother was her greatest accomplishment, Valorie also enjoyed many other aspects of life. She loved gardening and took much pride in her beautiful

flowers, she loved to sing and had the voice of an angel, but above all she loved to laugh and her beautiful smile was contagious. She had such an amazing heart and had a way of making everyone around her feel comfortable and loved. Valorie’s home was always the favorite spot to

go, not only for her own children, but for so many other cousins and friends. Valorie Sampson was as beautiful on the inside as she was on the outside and this world is a better place because she was in it!

Valorie is preceded in death by her son Travis Sampson, father Dennis Jobes, mother Helen Jobes, brother Dean Jobes, brother Ron Jobes and sister Marla Michael. She is survived by her loving husband Sonny Sampson; daughters Trisha (Jeff) Adams, Terra (Chad) Hill and Tana (Byron) Ellis; son Troy (Sierra) Sampson; brother Jim (Nancy) Jobes; and sister Belinda (Dave) Roberts. Valorie was also survived by nine grandkids and many nieces and nephews.

There will be a rosary held on Sunday, December 27th at 6:00 p.m. and funeral services will be held on Monday, December 28th at 11:00 a.m., both at St. Andrew’s Mission Catholic Church in Pendleton, Ore.

Valorie loved flowers and if you wish to send flowers please do so to St. Andrew’s mission, but she was also a very practical person and would not want donations of any sort, she would want you to donate to this world instead by paying it forward. Do something kind for another in her memory.

Send condolences to the family to Blackmerfuneral-home.com

UPCOMING SERVICES

TUESDAY, DEC. 22

No services scheduled

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23

No services scheduled

OBITUARY POLICY

The East Oregonian publishes paid obituaries. The obituary can include small photos and, for veterans, a flag symbol at no charge.

Obituaries may be edited for spelling, proper punctuation and style. Expanded death notices will be published at no charge. These include information about services.

Obituaries and notices can be submitted online at www.eastoregonian.com/obituaryform, by email to obits@eastoregonian.com, by fax to 541-276-8314, placed via the funeral home or in person at the East Oregonian office.

For more information, call 541-966-0818 or 1-800-522-0255, ext. 221.

MEETINGS

TUESDAY, DEC. 22

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, 10 a.m., Umatilla County Courthouse room 121, 216 S.E. Fourth St., Pendleton.

IONE SCHOOL DISTRICT, 3:30 p.m. work session, 4:30 p.m. board meeting, Ione Schools, 445 Spring St.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23

MORROW COUNTY COURT, 9 a.m., Pioneer Annex conference room, 150 Rock St., Heppner.

HERMISTON LIBRARY BOARD, 4-5 p.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave. (541-567-2882).

THURSDAY, DEC. 24

SALVATION ARMY ADVISORY BOARD, 12 noon, 150 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton.

UMATILLA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION, 6:30 p.m., Umatilla County Justice Center, 4700 N.W. Pioneer Place, Pendleton.

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3D: 3:50* 10:10

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