

OBITUARIES

Harvey Lee Harrison

Pendleton
September 24, 1930 - May 3, 2018

Harvey Lee Harrison, 87, of Pendleton, Ore., passed away on May 3, 2018, in Pendleton. He was born in New Bridge, Ore., to Victor Lee and Luella (Ewing) Harrison on September 24, 1930.

He began school in a one-room schoolhouse in Cornucopia and New Bridge, Ore. He later attended grade school in Richland, Ore. He danced around the maypole at his eighth grade celebration. He graduated from Pendleton High School in 1948.

In 1949 he attended Modern Barber College in Portland, Ore., and worked as a barber at Patton Barber Shop in Pendleton.

He joined the U.S. Army in 1951. He attended basic training at Camp Roberts, Calif. He was then stationed at Ft. Lawton, Wash. He left there to serve in an Arctic Test Branch at Big Delta, Alaska. He was honorably discharged in 1953.

He married Merledene Marie Rennecker on December 17, 1955, in Pendleton, Ore., and later had a daughter, Holly Lee Harrison.

He started working for Pacific Power and Light Company in Pendleton in 1960 as a ground man and

worked there for 31 years, retiring as a field estimator on November 1, 1991.

Harvey was a natural athlete. He loved to play basketball, baseball, tennis and badminton. He rode motorcycles, hunted everything that walked or flew, built hot rods, swam, water skied, and golfed.

He was an avid ping pong player and met twice a week with a group of lifelong friends to play and reminisce the glory days. He had many friends who loved and respected him.

He was well liked by all who met him. He was a good son, father, husband, friend, and grandfather. He loved his family. One can't ask for more than that.

He is survived by his wife Merledene of Pendleton; daughter Holly Lee Harrison of Pendleton; two granddaughters, Kendall Brittani Davis and Mal-lory Lee Davis; a grandson, Mason Davis; a great-grandson, Phoenix Jay Hulce; and great-granddaughter, Peyton Lee Hulce.

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at www.burnsmortuary.com



Harrison

Walter Howard 'Walt' Rohde

Lebanon, Ore.
September 25, 1922 - April 30, 2018

Walter (Walt) Howard Rohde passed away April 30, 2018, at his home in Lebanon, Oregon, at age 95.

Walt was born on September 25, 1922, in Despain Gulch, Oregon. He was the son of William C. and Adelia (Steffen) Rohde, the youngest of two boys, the oldest being Willard. Walt attended elementary school in Pendleton, Oregon. He went on to attend high school in Monroe, Washington, residing with his grandparents Herman and Lena Steffen.

Walt began college at the University of Washington. With the advent of WWII he enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1942. As a Marine, Walt was in the campaigns on Ryukyu Island, Okinawa, and was part of the initial occupation force of Japan.

After the war, Walt continued his education at Washington State University. At Washington State, Walt was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity and was a collegiate athlete in wrestling.

Upon graduating with a bachelor's degree in agriculture from WSU, Walt took on many endeavors. He was a rancher, a building supply store owner, a hospital maintenance engineer, a Coca Cola distributor and a build-

ing contractor.

On September 15, 1987, he married Alice Miriam Nelson (Wood) and shortly after he moved to Lebanon, Oregon, as manager/owner of Wood's Trailer Park. While operating the park, Walt and Alice found time to travel the globe; visiting every continent with the exception of Antarctica.

Walt lived his life to the fullest. He loved hunting, gambling, traveling, camping, and writing. He wrote many cowboy poems, and had a story of about camping and hunting published.

Walt is survived by his wife Alice; his stepdaughter and her husband, Nancy and Jerry White of Roseburg, Oregon, and their children Brett White of Roseburg, Oregon, and Katherine White of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and his nephew and spouse, Ross and Margie Rohde of San Francisco, California. Walt was predeceased by his parents and brother.

Celebration of life services will be held at the Lebanon American Legion, 480 Main Street, at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 19, 2018.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children sent in care of Huston-Jost Funeral Home, 86 W. Grant St., Lebanon, OR 97355.



Rohde

Tommy James Town

Yachats
November 5, 1968 - April 28, 2018

Tommy James Town (Tom) died peacefully at home in Yachats, Oregon, at the age of 49 on April 28, 2018 at 7:15 p.m. from cancer. He had three separate bouts of cancer and three different types.

Tom was born on November 5, 1968, to Rosemary Marler in Lewiston, Idaho. He graduated from Lewiston High School, moved to Boardman, Oregon, and worked as a millwright at the potato plants.

Tom met Phyllis Wetzels Harris in Boardman and went to work for her in the firewood profession in Monument in 1993.

Tom always wanted a family; he fell in love with Decimia, A.J., Katherine and Donna, then asked Phyllis to marry him. They were married on October 8, 1994, in Boardman. They moved to Ione, worked on Krebs Ranch until Tom worked deep sea fishing in Alaska for a couple months.

Tom returned to Boardman to work with his dad Mike Town for Baker Hay. Tom and Phyllis moved to Irrigon and took guardianship of Scott and Jordan in September 1997. In 2000 Tom, Phyllis and all six of their kids moved to Echo for a year or so and then moved to Hermiston.

Tom volunteered with Special Olympics and enjoyed his time spent with all the athletes and coaches

in Hermiston. In May of 2009 the family moved to Waldport to live and in May of 2015 they moved to Yachats. He taught his children to fish, hunt, camp and other things important in life.

He enjoyed music and played the guitar. He was a person who talked to everyone and enjoyed life. In the last few years he enjoyed fishing and hunting with his kids and friends. His favorite saying to the kids was, "Go to work, you will feel better."

Tom was predeceased by his dad

Mike Town, his Grandma Mary Lynn and Grandpa Lloyd. He is survived by his wife Phyllis of Yachats; mom Rosemary of Waldport; children Decimia of Yachats, A.J. Town and fiancée Ashleigh of Waldport, Katherine Harris and fiancée Cory of Hermiston, Donna Washington and boyfriend Chris of Umatilla, and Scott and Jordan of Yachats; his grandchildren Christopher Washington, Tommy Town, Ella King, and Pyper Robinson; his brother Paul Town and Rhiannon of South Dakota; and his sister Tammy Hubbard and Danny of Oregon.

A celebration of life will be held Saturday, May 19 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. at the Waldport Community Center, 265 Hemlock St.

Cards can be mailed to P.O. Box 12, Waldport, OR 97394.



Town

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

MONDAY

- 2:26 a.m. - Stanfield police took a report for the theft of a vehicle at Premiere Apartments, 120 Vantage Blvd.
- 9:58 a.m. - Pendleton police took a report for drug activity at Sherwood Heights Elementary, 3235 S.W. Nye Ave., Pendleton.
- 12:19 p.m. - A man told Umatilla police he is concerned for the health of a dog he gave away in April and wanted to speak to an officer about the situation.
- 12:34 p.m. - A Hermiston resident told police he received a scam call claiming he had to send money to the IRS or go to jail. The local asked police to log the report so others see the scam continues to go around.
- 1:55 p.m. - Two Norwegian elkhounds were loose on Sunday in the area of East Harding, Sloan and Wayne streets, Stanfield, a caller reported. Police made a note of it.
- 2:10 p.m. - Pendleton police checked on the first of 11 code violations and five abandoned vehicles in North Hill neighborhoods.
- 3:15 p.m. - A Hermiston caller asked to speak to police about someone stealing items from customers.
- 5:58 p.m. - A resident on County Road, Milton-Freewater, told the Umatilla County Sheriff's Office someone broke into his property and he was doing inventory for any missing items.
- 6:23 p.m. - Umatilla police received reports of a fight at the Chevron station, 1010 Sixth St.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

- Umatilla Tribal Police arrested Raymond MacDonald, 39, of Pendleton, for burglary and criminal mischief.
- Oregon State Police arrested Lewis Jason Schnider, 43, no address available, for driving under the influence of intoxicants and reckless driving.

Softball players earn scholarships



Richards



Gentner

PENDLETON — Pendleton High School scholar-athletes Lauren Richards and Rylee Gentner each received a \$1,500 scholarship from Pendleton resident Rick Rohde in honor of their

prowess in the classroom and on the softball field. Rohde has provided scholarships to exceptional female athletes that maintain a 3.5 or better GPA since 2014.

COMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

- STANFIELD SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 p.m., Stanfield Community Center, 225 W. Roosevelt, Stanfield. Cost is \$3.50 for seniors, \$6 for others. (541-449-1332)
- PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12-1 p.m., Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St., Pendleton. 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. (Tori Bowman 541-276-5073)
- ADVENTURE TIME STORY TIME**, 2-3 p.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston. Stories and activities for developmentally disabled children and adults. Free. (541-567-2882)
- ADULT BEGINNERS' COMPUTERS**, 3-4 p.m., Pendleton Public Library meeting room, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Registration is required. Classes tailored to the needs of the attendees. (541-966-0380)
- ARTS CENTER HAPPY HOUR**, 6-7 p.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Make something cool to take home. Wine and beer will be available by donation. Free. (Kaisa Hill 541-278-9201)
- VEGAN/SUSTAINABLE LIVING POTLUCK SUPPER**, 7 p.m., location varies, Pendleton. Bring a vegan dish and recipe. Gluten-free friendly group. Call to RSVP and for driving directions. (541-969-3057)

THURSDAY, MAY 10

- PRESCHOOL STORY TIME**, 10:15-11 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Stories and activities for young children. (541-966-0380)
- PRESCHOOL STORY AND CRAFT TIME**, 10:30 a.m., Milton-Freewater Public Library, 8 S.W. Eighth Ave., Milton-Freewater. (Lili Schmidt 541-938-8247)
- HERMISTON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 p.m., Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church parish hall, 565 W. Hermiston Ave., Hermiston. Cost is \$4 for adults, free for children 10 and under, \$4 for Meals on Wheels. Extra 50 cents for utensils/dishes. Bus service to parish hall by donation. (541-567-3582)
- BOARDMAN SENIOR MEAL SERVICE**, 12 p.m., Boardman Senior Center, 100 Talone St., Boardman. Cost is \$4 for seniors 55 and over or \$5 for adults. (541-481-3257)

DEATH NOTICES

Patricia Fontaine Mason

Hermiston
April 13, 1934 - May 7, 2018

Patricia Fontaine Mason, 84, of Hermiston died Monday, May 7, 2018, in Hermiston. She was born April 13, 1934, in St. Joseph, Mo. A celebration of life service will be announced at a later time. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of final arrangements. Leave an online condolence for the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9
MILTON-FREEWATER CEMETERY MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 3, 12 p.m., Milton-Freewater Golf Course restaurant, 301 Catherine St., Milton-Freewater. (541-938-5531)
STANFIELD IRRIGATION DISTRICT, 12 p.m., district office, 100 W. Coe Ave., Stanfield. (Tiffany Harrell 541-449-3272)
PORT OF MORROW COMMISSION, 2 p.m., Port of Morrow, 2 Marine Drive, Boardman. (Dori Drago 541-481-7678)
PENDLETON FAÇADE COMMITTEE, 3:30 p.m., Pendleton City Hall community development conference room, 500 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (Julie Chase 541-966-0204)
RIVERSIDE SITE COUNCIL, 5:30 p.m., Riverside High School library, 210 N.E. Boardman Ave.,

Boardman. (541-676-9128)
WESTON CITY COUNCIL, 6 p.m., Memorial Hall, 210 E. Main St., Weston. (541-566-3313)
ATHENA PLANNING COMMISSION, 6:30 p.m., Athena City Hall, 215 S. Third St., Athena. (541-566-3862)
CONDON PLANNING COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Condon City Hall, 128 S. Main St., Condon. (541-384-2711)
CONDON SCHOOL DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Condon Grade School, 220 S. East St., Condon. (541-384-2441)
HERMISTON PLANNING COMMISSION, 7 p.m., Hermiston City Hall, 180 N.E. Second St., Hermiston. (541-567-5521)
STANFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT, 7 p.m., Stanfield School District office, 1120 N. Main St., Stanfield. (541-449-3305)

LOTTERY

Monday, May 7, 2018
Megabucks
03-15-23-25-43-48
Estimated jackpot: \$5.6 million
Lucky Lines
03-06-10-14-FREE-19-24-26-30
Estimated jackpot: \$36,000
Win for Life

26-45-50-62
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 5-2-6-7
4 p.m.: 0-0-3-2
7 p.m.: 2-5-5-8
10 p.m.: 0-7-1-5

Tuesday, May 8, 2018
Pick 4
1 p.m.: 5-0-2-6

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