

THE RECORD

OBITUARIES

PRINDEL—Barbara Elaine “Bobbi” Prindel, age 82, died at her home in Swisshome on Thursday, Sept. 22, 2016.



Barbara Prindel

Born Jan 9, 1934, in Portland, Ore., to Elbridge R. and Marie A. Yeager, she attended Commerce High School and graduated with a degree in accounting in 1951. Barbara worked for Cupp Ford in Portland until she married Ronald V. Prindel on June 22, 1952. Barbara and Ron settled in Swisshome, Ore., where

they raised their family. Barbara was an expert bookkeeper. Her attention to details and organizational skills were exceptional. Her employers included Cupp Ford, the U.S. Forest Service, Siuslaw Valley Veneer, Rupert Trucking, Murphy Co, Johnston Motor Co and the City of Florence. Barbara also was the secretary/treasurer for Swisshome-Deadwood RFPD for almost 40 years. She received numerous bookkeeping awards during her years of working. Barbara’s hobbies included toll painting, beading, traveling in the motor home and camping with her family, and she loved working on her computer.

Survivors include her husband of 64 years, Ron; daughters Ronda Harris, Elaine Dotson (Terry) and Brenda Garner; a son, Richard Prindel; 15 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren; sisters Louise Veneer, Rupert Trucking, Murphy Co, Johnston Motor Co and the City of Florence. Barbara was preceded in death by her parents, her brother Richard Yeager, her sisters Gladys Roberts and MayLou Ragsdale. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 12, at Swisshome Evangelical Church in Swisshome with a reception to follow. The family wishes to thank

the members of Peace Health Hospice for their kind attention to Barbara. Their help was greatly appreciated. The family also wishes to thank Brian Moore, Alice and Bob Fulkner, and Burns’s Riverside Chapel. Their help and support was greater than words can say. Burns’s Riverside Chapel Florence Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. **HOBERG**—Gary Hoberg, 82, of Florence, passed away Oct. 16, 2016. A memorial celebration of his life will be held Saturday, Nov. 5, at 11 a.m., at Burns’s Riverside Chapel Florence Funeral Home.

Coast Guard assists disabled skiff near jetty

On Wednesday, Oct. 26, USCG Station Siuslaw River members assisted two mariners in a disabled 14-foot skiff just as another storm hit the coast about 11:30 a.m. The 47-foot Motor Lifeboat and crew responded as the small boat traveled over shallow waters northeast of the crab dock and river channel light 9. Senior Chief Tregoning and Chief Snider also responded,

via vehicle, to the beach located below Harbor Vista Park on North Jetty Road. The waters were too shallow for the Motor Lifeboat, and Coast Guard members waited for the vessel to drift to an area of the beach where they could be reached. BMCS Tregoning and BMC Snider assisted the boaters off the skiff when it drifted towards a low spot along the

jetty rocks next to the cove. Equipment was removed from the skiff and the skiff was hoisted over the rocks and along the beach to the road. The Coast Guard reminds boaters to keep appraised of weather and tide conditions prior to getting underway and during the voyage. The two mariners, from Lake Tahoe, had tried anchoring but the current was too

strong. Always keep the proper weighted and sized anchor, as well as correct anchor line and chain, for prevailing conditions in case your vessel becomes disabled. If you are visiting from out of town, make sure you are familiar with various conditions before getting underway, BMCS Tregoning suggests.

Haven’t received your ballot yet? Here’s what to do

Lane County ballots were mailed Thursday, Oct. 20, and registered voters should have received their ballot by now. Voters who did not receive their ballots in the mail by Tuesday, Oct. 25, should do one or more of the following:

- Go to www.sos.oregon.gov/voting/Pages/myballot.aspx to confirm they are registered.
- If they have moved to any new address, even the apart-

ment next door, they will need to update their registration. Voters can update online at www.oregonvotes.gov if they have a valid DMV license, identification card or permit number. The same website can be used to update or remove a mailing address. You can also complete a registration card and mail or deliver it to Lane County Elections.

Ballots may not be forwarded by law. If voters are not going to be at a regular residence or mailing address, they need to submit a request for an absentee ballot at the temporary location. If voters are unsure what to do, they should call Lane County Elections at 541-682-4234 to determine what action they must take in order to receive a ballot.

Lane County Elections is located at 275 W. 10th Ave., on the corner of 10th and Lincoln street in downtown Eugene. Office hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. On Election Day, Nov. 8, the Lane County Elections Office will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

FACC to hear about Siuslaw Region Visioning Project

The Florence Area Community Coalition (FACC) will host Siuslaw Public Library Director Meg Spencer, Community Activist Maggie Bagon and Lane Community College Florence Director Dr. Russ Pierson at its Nov. 2 meeting, beginning at 9 a.m. in the Bromley Room of the Siuslaw Public Library. The three represent the Siuslaw Region Visioning Project, which began in 2014,

has incorporated input from over 1,200 area residents, and is supported by the Ford Institute for Community Building, the City of Florence, the Siuslaw Public Library and the Rotary Club of Florence. The panel will describe the project, now in its “Vision Keeping” phase, and invite FACC members and guests to consider ways they can be involved in forging a region where opportunities to live,

work and play are available to all as “The Siuslaw Region: A Vision for 2025” develops. The featured agency for November is Florence Food Share. At this time of year, there is a need for items for holiday baskets given to many area families. Non-perishable food items and cash donations will be welcome. FACC wants to remind the community that the Aging in Place website, set up prior to

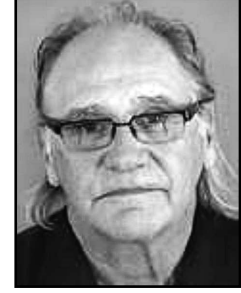
the Aging in Place Forum, is still up and running. It will continue to feature information and articles about topics from the forum including home modifications, economic planning, health and wellness, emergency readiness and more. Visit the site at www.senior-tsunami.org. Everyone is welcome to the FACC monthly meetings. There is no charge.

Florence man charged with sexual abuse

Charges made public through county’s unsealing of search warrant

By JACK DAVIS
Siuslaw News

Details surrounding the arrest of 60-year-old Florence resident Randy Clay on multiple sexual abuse charges were made public after a search warrant was unsealed this week in Lane County Circuit Court. The charges were made after Florence police interviewed Clay and two victims.



Randy Clay

Clay was arrested Sept. 6 and is currently being held in the Lane County Jail. He is charged with multiple counts of sexual abuse, coercion and using a child in a display of sexually explicit conduct. Police searched Clay’s apartment and interviewed

him on Sept. 6, following earlier interviews with two underage victims. Clay was arrested and placed in the Lane County Jail the same day. Florence Police Commander John Pitcher said, “A victim disclosed what happened to a relative and that relative contacted us.” Pitcher said he was not aware of a trial date having been set. “Sexual predators are not the boogeyman people think; that you can notice them by sight. “I wish I had a magic answer. But I don’t,” he said.

COURTS

Florence Municipal Court Oct. 25

Aaron Solomona Teo pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct. He was sentenced to seven days in Florence City Jail and must report to Emergence Addiction and Mental Health Services. He must pay \$525 in fines. Steven Charles Lyons pleaded guilty to DUII. He was sentenced to two days in Florence City Jail and must report to treatment. He must pay \$1,405 in fines and his driver’s license is suspended for one year. Vila Sale pleaded no contest to theft. She must pay \$350 in fines and not contact or be in or about the residence or places of employment of the victims. Aubrey Lyn McCabe pleaded guilty to attempted possession of methamphetamine. She must report to treatment and

must pay \$475 in fines. Ricky Wayne Williams pleaded guilty to attempted possession of methamphetamine. He was sentenced to four days in Florence City Jail and must report to treatment. He must pay \$175 in fines. Cody Samuel Akers pleaded guilty to harassment. He was sentenced to four days in Florence City Jail and must report to Emergence Addiction and Mental Health Services. He must pay \$575 in fines and not have offensive contact with the victim. Mary Dena Harvey pleaded no contest to disorderly conduct. She must pay \$275 in fines. John William Huber pleaded no contest to criminal trespass. He must pay \$250 in fines and not contact or be in or about the premises or place of employment of the victim.



GARY HOBERG

Gary Hoberg, 82 peacefully passed away October 16th, 2016. He was a long time resident of Florence. He was born on Dec 10, 1933, the son of Ralph and Icle Hoberg where his parents traveled over the hill to Eugene for his birth. After his parents divorced, Gary and his mother moved to Eugene when he was in the eighth grade. There he finished high school at South Eugene and joined the Army. He served in Korea from 1954 to 1955. After the Army he returned to Eugene to help his mother with her health issues. He was a very devoted son. He visited his Dad, Ralph & Eva Hines-Hoberg, in Florence often and that was where he re-united with Wanda Ziemer his best friend and love of his life. They were married on May 12, 1956. Gary was an active member of the Florence community his entire life. He volunteered as a fire fighter for many years and served as the Fire Chief from 1964-1968. Gary also served on the Rural Fire board as a director. He was a member of the Florence Elks Lodge #1858 and member of the Florence Rotary Club, serving as the 1983-84 President and a Paul Harris Fellow.

Gary made several long lasting contributions to the Florence community. He and his wife Wanda ran Hoberg’s Chevron Service for over 30 years. One of his most long lasting contributions to the community was his helping to found Oregon Pacific Bank. Being a founding board member was very important to him and helped this community grow strong. Gary enjoyed living in the Pacific Northwest and deeply enjoyed being outdoors. He and Wanda were members of the Emerald Road Runners four-wheel drive club and they enjoyed four-wheeling on the beaches and Eastern Oregon as often as they could. After selling their business in 1992, to their daughter Shasta & husband, they retired and would often pack a few things and head out on the open road to go hunting, or visit friends and family. He also took pride in his beautiful yard.

Gary is preceded in death by his wife Wanda, step brother Ray Hines and parents. He is survived by son Rand & Beverly Hoberg of Springfield; daughter Shasta & Kevin McMullen of Florence; and son Jim Hoberg & wife Carrie Moore of Florence. Grand children Anthony & Beige McMullen, Mckenzie & Justin Kramer, Jennifer Hoberg, Jessica Hoberg, Jordan & Jammie Hoberg, Jenna Hoberg. Great grandchildren, Gavin Hoberg, Gesme, Sarhara, & Samantha Kramer, and Allen & Jade McMullen; his brother, Richard and wife Debra Hoberg

A memorial for Gary will be held at Burn’s Riverside Chapel at 2765 Kingwood St, Florence, OR on Saturday November 5th at 11:00am.

Contributions can be made to Peace Health Hospice & Home Health.



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