

THE RECORD

OBITUARIES

RAYBOULD—On the morning of Feb. 6, 2017, Diane Lynn Raybould passed on from this world, but not from our hearts, to continue her eternal journey.



Diane Raybould

Diane was born Sept. 6, 1956. She was the fifth child, out of 13.

She is survived by her husband, Dennis Raybould, and their two children Danyelle and Dale, as well as her five grandchildren Rowan, Keenan, Kylie, Jonah and Nolan.

Diane cared very much for her community. She was always bringing knowledge of health through food and natural healings.

In June 2003, one of her dreams came true. She opened up Nature's Corner. She made a place where people could come and eat and shop healthy and feel good.

Above all, she was a loving

wife and mother, an extraordinary grandmother and a great friend and was always there when her family needed her. She loved the outdoors, camping and hiking.

She will be missed immensely.

When the heart weeps for what it has lost, the soul laughs for what it has found.

— Anonymous

A private family service will be held Sunday, Feb. 19.

BOND—Gary Frances Bond, 77, formerly of Florence, passed away Feb. 7, 2017, in Eagle, Idaho.

Gary was born to Floyd and Ruth Bond in Everett, Wash., on March 11, 1940.

When Gary was 13, he moved to Florence with his parents and attended Siuslaw High School. He then joined the U.S. Army and served his country, receiving a Medal of Good Conduct.

He was honorably discharged in 1962 and returned to Florence, where he soon met the love of his life, Sherry Wilkinson. Gary and Sherry were married in Reno, Nev., on

May 25, 1963, and they had



Gary Bond

two children: Gary Bond Jr., who resides in Boise, Idaho, and Brenda Garber (Richard) of Eagle, Idaho.

Gary is survived by his brothers: Bill Hanstad (Anna) of Roseburg, Lonnie "Cork" Kief (Conni) of Florence, Floyd "Buck" Bond (Andria) of Albany; and sister Sandra Bernhardt (Phil) of White City, Ore.

Gary was preceded in death by his wife, Sherry, in May 2015; his brother, Bob Bond (Wanda); and his sister, Diane Hanson (Bond).

Gary lived his adult life and raised his family in Florence, where he worked in the logging industry for many years at U.S. Plywood, then at Champion Int'l.

He later worked for Coast Road Construction and retired from County Transfer

Recycling in 2002. Gary loved hunting and fishing trips with his brothers and camping along the Oregon Coast with his family and grandkids.

He held his two grandsons Jacob and Jordan Rainwater close to his heart. He loved to cheer them on at their football, basketball and baseball games at Siuslaw and could always be found walking the sidelines or sitting in the stands at their games.

He also enjoyed socializing and playing pool with friends at the Florence Elks Lodge where he was a longtime member. Gary and Sherry were members of the Florence Church of the Nazarene. Gary will always be remembered for his kind heart, contagious smile and love for his family.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, March 11, at 1 p.m., at Crossroads Assembly of God Church in Florence.

Gary will be laid to rest at Pacific Sunset Cemetery next to his loving wife, Sherry.

See **OBITS 3A**

Port seeks to fill three open Commissioner seats

The Port of Siuslaw has announced there will be three Port Commissioner positions on the ballot for the May 16, 2017 Special District Election. The positions are available for the usual four-year term. Those terms will begin July 1, 2017 and end June 30, 2021.

Port of Siuslaw Commissioners are required to be registered voters who are residents of the Port district. The district covers approximately 700 square miles of the Siuslaw River watershed, including the communities of Florence, Dunes City and Mapleton.

The watershed extends upriver to Walton, Lorane and Blachly. The Port of Siuslaw is a special district, authorized in 1909 under Oregon law, ORS Chapter 777.

Persons interested in filing to be on the ballot for any of

the open Commissioner seats need to file with Lane County Elections no later than 5 p.m. March 16.

The Candidate Manual and forms are available on the Oregon Secretary of State's website.

Interested candidates can file with Lane County Elections by either paying a \$10 fee or by circulating a petition to collect signatures and submitting signatures to the County for verification. The Lane County Election office is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Questions regarding the position of Port Commissioner may be directed to the Port office, 100 Harbor Street, Florence, 541-997-3426 or port@portofsiuslaw.com.

Western Lane Ambulance District and Siuslaw Valley Fire & Rescue Ambulance and fire call runs Jan. 30-Feb 5

Date	Time	Area	Type	2/1/17	1127	9th Street	Medical
1/30/17	0058	Collard Lake Road	Medical	2/1/17	1307	Russell Drive	Medical
1/30/17	0514	9th Street	Medical	2/1/17	1318	Royal St Georges Drive	Medical
1/30/17	0730	9th Street	Medical	2/1/17	1335	Hwy 101	Medical
1/30/17	0750	9th Street	Standby	2/1/17	1345	Transfer To Shrb	Medical
1/30/17	0956	1st Avenue	Medical	2/1/17	2213	Transfer To Phh	Medical
1/30/17	1512	9th Street	Medical	2/1/17	2220	12th Street	Medical
1/30/17	1820	Transfer To Shrb	Medical	2/1/17	2318	Seapine Drive	Medical
1/30/17	2336	E Mapleton Road	Medical	2/1/17	2354	Upas Street	Medical
1/31/17	0059	9th Street	Medical	2/2/17	0312	Rhododendron Drive	Medical
1/31/17	0816	27th Street	Medical	2/2/17	0841	Terrace View Drive	Medical/Fire
1/31/17	1028	Sherwood Loop	Medical	2/2/17	0959	21st Street	Medical
1/31/17	1339	Hwy 126	Fire/Medical	2/2/17	1304	Transfer To Regency	Medical
1/31/17	1358	Rhododendron Drive	Medical	2/2/17	1349	21st Street	Medical
1/31/17	1535	Hwy 126	Medical	2/2/17	1700	Transfer To Regency	Medical
1/31/17	1721	16th Street	Medical	2/2/17	1724	Sandrift Street	Medical
1/31/17	1605	Hwy 126	Fire	2/2/17	2018	Waterford Downs Court	Medical
1/31/17	2020	9th Street	Medical	2/2/17	2127	Hwy 101	Medical
1/31/17	2154	41st Place	Medical	2/2/17	2222	Berry Lane	Medical
2/1/17	0220	Transfer To Shrb	Medical	2/3/17	0919	Armstrong Way	Medical
2/1/17	0805	Transfer To Shrb	Medical	2/3/17	1228	Oak Street	Medical
2/1/17	0904	Hwy 101	Fire/Medical	2/3/17	1431	Shoreline Drive	Trauma
2/1/17	1037	9th Street	Medical	2/3/17	1733	9th Street	Trauma
				2/4/17	0240	Transfer To Shrb	Medical

SPARKY—Gone too soon suddenly, without warning. His name was Sparky, but was also referred to as Spark-plug, Sparkler, and Sir Sparks-a-lot.

I'm sure you get the drift. Even more comical, he was always referred to as "she." Could it be because of how he pranced? Or his photo-shoot smile? His hair style?

Or just because he was just so darn cute and pretty; probably all of the above. He touched everyone's heart weather you met him once or saw him on the regular. He was rescued from an

abusive home by Doug Kelly, and in return gave back to us all love, joy friendship and companionship 70x7.

For myself, he made me responsible and independent, which brought the phrase "now I'm not lonely or desperate." What a blessing it was after all these years he got to see and spend time with our family, especially all the kids in Washington state this last Christmas.

Sparky impacted so many lives and knew so many people; this was the best way to reach out to each and every one of you about his passing on Feb. 2, 2017.



Sparky

February

Friday 17th, 4 - 10 pm
Saturday 18th, 12-10 pm

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Music
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Timberwolf
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Sat, Feb 18th -12-3pm
Clam Chowder Contest
Sat, Feb 18th
Silent Auction Benefiting
Reedsport Police Dep.

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