

On The Record

OBITUARIES

SCHOFIELD—Mary Anne Schofield, 88, of Florence, joined her husband Paul Sr. in heaven on Sept. 14, 2020.

Her three children were with her when she passed peacefully at her daughter's home after a battle with lung cancer.

Mary Anne was born March 7, 1932, in Bowie Colo., into a family of seven children.

She worked at Hill Air

Force base in Utah in her 20s, where she met and married Paul on Jan. 6, 1953.

Paul and Mary Anne moved to Oregon in 1956 to raise their children. They settled in Florence in the early 60s.

She was a hard worker and a jack of all traits. She was part of one of the first crews that planted beach grass on the Florence sand dunes.

She worked at the Winchester Bay fish plant in the early 70s, and was also a long time cashier at the Coast to Coast store.

Mary Anne loved the outdoors. Her and Paul spent time with their chil-

dren fishing and clamming. Many happy Easters they could be found picnicking at the North Jetty.

In the Early 70s Paul and Mary Anne purchased a home up the North Fork Siuslaw Road. It was the original Minerva post office. They always had a garden, chickens and cows.

They moved to Alaska in 1977 to work in the logging camps. Mom was the camp cook. This was a perfect fit for her as she always loved to cook. Her specialties were baked desserts.

Even in her 80s, she was baking pies and cookies for anyone who stopped by to visit. She loved giving homemade candy at

Christmas.

She enjoyed gardening and flowers and has a special love for roses. She paints with oils, crochets, and when she was younger she quilted.

Paul and Mary Anne also spent several years in Moab, Utah, mining gold before they returned back to Florence to live out the rest of their lives with their children and grandchildren.

Mary Anne is a member of Saint Mary's Catholic Church in Florence. One of her greatest pleasures was being part of the church community. She has made many cherished friends at Saint Mary's who have sup-

ported her and her family in this tough time.

The family will be having a small private service at the church in the near future.

Mary Anne was preceded in death by her husband Paul in 1996; her parents, Fred and Kathrin Gallob of Paonia, Colo.; two brothers: Bill and Joe, also from Colorado; and her son-in-law, Dan Saunders, from Mapleton.

She is survived by her children: Diane Saunders, Paul Schofield (Loni) and Fawn Gates (David); Her

grandchildren: Cara Simington, Jason Gates, Nathan Gates, Megan Schofield and Brian Schofield; three great-grandchildren: Dani, Gabe and Selina; two sisters, both in Colorado: Kay McCall and Gail Fraiser; and a brother, Frank Gallob, in Georgia.

Her family has always called her NeeNee. So, mom, Grandma NeeNee, Aunt NeeNee, rest in peace.

We love you.

Burns's Riverside Chapel Florence Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



Mary Anne Schofield

AMBULANCE/FIRE

Western Lane Ambulance District and Siuslaw Valley Fire & Rescue Ambulance and fire call runs Sept. 13-19

Date	Time	Area	Type	Date	Time	Area	Type
9/13/20	0:29	Medical, S Loftus Rd	SVFR No Transport	9/15/20	13:47	9th St	Transport to RB
9/13/20	0:34	Airport Rd	Assist, Public	9/15/20	16:28	9th St	Transport to RB
9/13/20	1:25	Manzanita Dr	Assist, Public	9/15/20	16:59	N Jetty Beach	USCG No Transport
9/13/20	8:25	Medical, Leeward Dr	SVFR Transport	9/15/20	17:23	Rhododendron Dr	Assist, Public
9/13/20	10:15	Saltaire St	Assist, Public	9/15/20	20:21	Medical, Spruce St	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/13/20	12:25	15th St	Transport to PHH	9/15/20	20:58	9th St	Transport to RB
9/13/20	12:52	9th St	Transport to RB	9/15/20	21:30	Rhododendron Dr	Assist, Public
9/13/20	13:57	9th St	Transport to PHH	9/16/20	6:57	Spruce St	Assist, Public
9/13/20	14:02	9th St	Transport to RB	9/16/20	12:00	Saltaire St	Transport to PHH
9/13/20	14:13	MVA, S Jetty	SVFR Assist, Agency	9/16/20	14:56	Medical, Collard Ln	SVFR Transport
9/13/20	14:45	Sherwood Lp	Assist, Public	6/16/20	17:58	North Ln	SVFR Public Assist
9/13/20	15:32	9th St	Transport to PHH	9/16/20	20:56	9th St	Transport to RB
9/13/20	17:32	Hwy 126	Transport to PHH	9/16/20	21:56	Medical, Pine St	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/13/20	17:49	9th St	Transport to ALF	9/16/20	23:48	Medical, N. Fk. Rd	SVFR Assist, Public
9/13/20	18:21	Rhododendron Dr	Assist, Public	9/17/20	4:06	Medical, Hwy 101	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/13/20	19:23	Fire, 31st St SVFR	Public Assist	9/17/20	14:15	9th St	Transport to RB
9/13/20	19:55	9th St	Transport to RB	9/17/20	16:22	Skunk Hollow Rd	SVFR No Transport
9/13/20	20:45	Rhododendron Dr	Assist, Public	9/17/20	16:37	Fire, Mulberry Ln	SVFR Public Assist
9/13/20	21:42	9th St	CCT- Transport to RB	9/17/20	17:29	Medical, S Jetty Rd	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/14/20	3:37	4th Ave	Transport to PHH	9/17/20	20:42	9th St	CCT-Transport to RB
9/14/20	4:23	Juniper St	Assist, Public	9/18/20	5:36	Rhody Dr	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/14/20	5:13	North Fork Siuslaw Rd	Transport to PHH	9/18/20	10:32	Rhododendron Dr	Transport to PHH
9/14/20	5:42	Skunk Hollow Rd	Assist, Public	9/18/20	11:17	Siano Lp	Transport to PHH
9/14/20	7:02	9th St	Transport to ALF	9/18/20	14:11	9th St	Transport to RB
9/14/20	7:47	Hwy 101	SVFR Public Assist	9/18/20	14:28	9th St	Transport to PHH
9/14/20	8:07	Hwy 36	Transport to PHH	9/18/20	16:10	Hwy 36	SHDWFD No Transport
9/14/20	9:48	Airport Rd	Transport to PHH	9/18/20	16:44	Medical, Rhody Dr	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/14/20	11:50	Fire, S Jetty Rd	SVFR Public Assist	9/19/20	1:03	9th St	CCT-Transport to RB
9/14/20	11:53	9th St	No Transport	9/19/20	8:27	Medical, 37th St	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/14/20	13:41	Wild Winds St	SVFR Public Assist	9/19/20	8:43	21st St	Transport to PHH
9/14/20	13:51	21st St	Transport to PHH	9/19/20	10:14	Shorecrest Dr	No Transport
9/14/20	14:03	Earhard Rd	Assist, Public	9/19/20	12:16	9th St	CCT-Transport to RB
9/14/20	14:18	Primerose Ln	Transport to PHH	9/19/20	12:56	Hazmat, Hwy 101	SVFR Public Assist
9/14/20	14:27	Hwy 126	No Transport	9/19/20	13:35	Seapine Dr	SVFR Public Assist
9/14/20	16:27	9th St	CCT- Transport to RB	9/19/20	14:38	Medical, S Loftus Rd	SVFR Assist, Public
9/14/20	19:39	21st St	Transport to PHH	9/19/20	15:08	Harvard Ave	Assist, Public
9/14/20	23:13	9th St	CCT-Transport to MKWMC	9/19/20	19:22	Cloudfroft Ln	SVFR Transport to PHH
9/15/20	2:49	9th St	Transport to MKWMC	9/19/20	20:05	Glenada St	No Transport
9/15/20	10:20	Medical, Greenwood St	SVFR Transport	9/19/20	22:43	9th St	CCT-Transport to RB
9/15/20	12:49	Fire, Hwy 101	SVFR Public Assist	9/19/20	22:53	Willow St	Transport to PHH

Oregon granted major disaster declaration for wildfires

Following an expedited request to President Trump by Oregon Governor Kate Brown on Monday, Oregon was notified within 24 hours that federal emergency aid has been made available to the state to supplement state, tribal and local recovery efforts in the areas affected by wildfires and straight-line winds beginning on Sept. 7 and continuing.

"Oregon is resilient, but to fight fires on this scale, we need all the help we can get," said Governor Kate Brown. "I am grateful for the White House's swift response in quickly granting a Presidential Disaster Declaration and the immediate implementation of FEMA's

individual assistance program, which will help bring additional relief to Oregonians impacted by the devastation of these fires."

The declaration makes federal funding available to affected individuals in Clackamas, Douglas, Jackson, Klamath, Lane, Lincoln, Linn and Marion counties.

Assistance can include grants for temporary housing and home repairs, low-cost loans to cover uninsured property losses, and other programs to help individuals and business owners recover from the effects of the disaster.

Individuals and business owners who sustained losses in the designated

area can begin applying for assistance by registering online at www.DisasterAssistance.gov or by calling 1-800-621-3362 or 1-800-462-7585 TTY. Affected Oregonians are encouraged to apply as soon as possible.

Federal assistance through FEMA's Public Assistance program is available to Benton, Clackamas, Columbia, Coos, Deschutes, Douglas, Jackson, Jefferson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Tillamook, Wasco, Washington and Yamhill counties.

"Our office will be working hand-in-hand with FEMA over the coming weeks to ensure that Ore-

gonians know how to apply for assistance," said OEM Director Andrew Phelps. "This is an important step toward rebuilding the strength of our communities."

WEATHER DATA

DATE	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Sept. 15	71	58	0.00
Sept. 16	69	55	0.00
Sept. 17	66	57	0.01
Sept. 18	64	57	0.58
Sept. 19	64	49	0.06
Sept. 20	70	42	0.00
Sept. 21	64	46	0.03

Rainfall Week: 0.68"
Month: 0.69" Year: 44.80"

Courtesy of Roger Cunningham

COUNTY COVID-19 STATS

Lane County Public Health (LCPH) —

(As of Sept. 22 at 10:30 a.m.)

Lane County Public Health (LCPH) was notified of 72 additional positive cases of COVID-19, three new cases associated with long term care facilities over the weekend, and sees highest number of infectious individuals since the beginning of the pandemic. This makes a total of 1,009 positive cases. (Note: This includes confirmed and presumptive.)

Of the cases:

- Hospitalized: 3 (-1)
- Deaths: 15 (no change)

- Infectious: 125 (+31)
- Negative tests: 61,434
- Total tests: 62,
- Cases reported within the 97439 zip code: 22 (+2)



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(used because it closely resembles and feels like human tissue).

To sign up for the class, please call Siuslaw News at 541-997-3441.

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