

Janet C. McAllister
Cannon Beach
Sept. 27, 1937 — Nov. 10, 2018

Janet C. “Jan” (Bullock) McAllister died in Cannon Beach, Oregon on Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018, at the age of 81.

Jan is survived by her daughters, Anne Kathryn Palamides and Kathleen Mary McAllister, both of Los Angeles. Anne has two children, Emilie and Glenn Palamides; and Kathleen has two children, Victoria and Sarah Assad.

Jan was born and raised in the San Fernando Valley. She graduated from Van Nuys High School in 1955, alongside schoolmates Robert Redford and Natalie Wood. She attended the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), where she majored in anthropology and, later went on to get her elementary education certificate from California State University, Northridge.

She had a brief career as a grammar school teacher and as an airline hostess. While working, Jan met her husband, John McAllister. They had two children, Anne and Katie. After six years of marriage they divorced, and Jan decided to re-enter the workforce.

She worked as an advertising account executive at the Los Angeles Times, and later fulfilled one of her lifelong dreams of becoming a print model for the Nina Blanchard Agency. Eventually, Jan decided to move to the Oregon Coast. Once in Oregon, Jan expanded her career and became a real estate agent.

One thing you can say about Jan was that she dressed impeccably. She was very sophisticated, and carried herself well. Though she had type 1 diabetes, she would

exercise and walk continuously. She would walk with her daughter Anne frequently, having engaging conversations about life, people she had met over the years, and the vibrance of nature. That is why she fell in love with Oregon.

Jan was very creative, and fixed up her cottage-style homes in both Los Angeles and Cannon Beach. She had an eye for color, vibrant fashion, and décor.

She also liked to cook, and was a tour-de-force in the kitchen, with a devotion to comfort food her entire family enjoyed. Ever the perfectionist, she would wash and iron her professional outfits the evening before, to make sure her next day was the very best.

After moving to Oregon, she became more engaged with the grandchildren. Nothing would stop her from giving advice, helping them with their homework, remembering their birthdays, or telling their parents what works best. She would always say, “That’s what Grammys do.”

A funeral is scheduled for Dec. 14 at 10 a.m., in Cannon Beach, at the Cannon Beach Community Church, with a reception to follow. Pastor David Robinson will officiate the ceremony. All are welcome to celebrate Jan’s life.

Condolences may be sent to The Palamides Family, 106 N. Citrus Avenue, Los Angeles, CA.90036.

Memorial donations in memory of Janet can be made to the Cannon Beach Community Church Compassion/Deacon Fund, P.O. Box 37, Cannon Beach, OR 97110.



Janet McAllister



Lance Sawrey
Gearhart
Aug. 28, 1956 — Nov. 19, 2018

With great sadness, we announce the passing of Lance Robert Sawrey, 62, who passed away peacefully in his home on Nov. 19, 2018.

Lance was born on Aug. 29, 1956, in Seattle, Washington, to Leonard Edward Sawrey and Hazel Mae Sylvester. The family lived in Seattle for six years, and then relocated to Southern California, where Lance attended Newport Harbor High School. He grew up surfing, playing baseball, and learning to fly the family plane. His father, a retired Navy veteran, flew a PBY in the Korean War and was a commercial pilot, which fueled Lance’s passion and love of aviation.

At the age of 17, Lance enlisted in the Navy during the Vietnam War, and served for four years as a cryptologic technician (CT) with tours in Pensacola, Florida, and Guam.

Lance joined the Coast Guard in 1980 as an aviation mechanic, where he flew many search and rescue missions. He began his tour at Air Station Astoria in Oregon, where he met his wife and best friend, Laurie Petersen, a native Astorian. Lance was stationed at several locations around the country, including Air Station Astoria, Oregon, Air Station Barbers Point, Hawaii, and Air Station Brooklyn, New York.

After serving 16 years in the Coast Guard, Lance retired in 1996 in Astoria, Oregon. Following his tenure in the Coast Guard, he worked as a mechanic at Lektro and Clatsop County Public Works. A few years later, he was flying again, as he joined the team at Arctic Air and supported the Columbia River Bar Pilots. He was responsible for hoisting the pilot down to the ship deck, and making sure the helicopter was maintained and ready for dangerous weath-

er conditions. Finally, Lance worked at the Clatsop County Historical Society, where he put his interest in history and woodworking skills to use at the Flavel House Museum, Heritage Museum and the Oregon Film Museum.

In 2015, Lance fully retired and spent his time relaxing in Gearhart and vacationing in Hawaii with Laurie. After living there for several years, Lance developed a deep appreciation for Hawaiian culture and history. He enjoyed spending time with his family, listening to music, clam digging, and riding his motorcycle. Lance was an extremely talented woodworker, and was known to many as the guy who could fix anything.

Lance is survived by his wife, Laurie Sawrey, to whom he was married for 35 years; his daughter, Emma, and future son-in-law, Dustin; his son, Robert, and daughter-in-law, Kylene, and grandchildren Robert, Makaila and Anthony.

Everyone who knew Lance will remember him as a fun-loving, storytelling, down-to-earth guy, and he will be greatly missed. He lived a full life of adventure and love; his memory will live on through those who knew him.

A celebration of life gathering will be held at the Heritage Museum in Astoria on Sunday, Dec. 9, from 1 to 3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Lower Columbia Hospice or the Clatsop County Historical Society in his name.

Lance will be laid to rest at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific located at Punchbowl Crater in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Hughes-Ransom Mortuary and Crematory is in charge of the arrangements.



Lance Sawrey

CANNON BEACH POLICE LOG

Nov. 6
1:49 p.m., N. Hemlock: An intoxicated female who became uncooperative while talking to police was given a courtesy ride home in a patrol car.

Nov. 7
1:07 p.m., Tolovana Park: Police respond to a report of dead bunnies by a resident. Check by police reports no dead bunnies in the specified area, but lots of live ones.

3:55 p.m., Tolovana Park:

Following up on the report of dead rabbits, rabbits are taken to a veterinarian to determine cause of death. The autopsy report is inconclusive although poisoning is ruled out.

Nov. 8
One incident of overnight camping is reported.

2:29 p.m., E. Harrison: A German shepherd reported wandering on its own is reunited with its owner.

Nov. 9
10:14 a.m., Beach and Tolovana: Two medical vials were brought to the police department containing red fluid and tissue found on beach.

Nov. 10
9:27 a.m., N. Chinook: Police investigate a death.

Nov. 11
Three instances of overnight camping are reported.

11:59 a.m., 300 block S. Hemlock: Police are unable to locate a pos-

sible intoxicated driver reported.

Nov. 12
4:55 p.m., 1100 block S. Hemlock: A fugitive is arrested on a warrant.

Nov. 13
9:02 p.m., 4000 block S. Hemlock: Police conduct a welfare check on a husband as requested by a concerned wife. The husband is fine. The wife is advised.

Nov. 14
6:50 p.m., Second Avenue

and Highway 101: A traffic hazard is removed from the roadway.

Nov. 15
10:24 p.m., W. Harrison: Police respond to a report of a gas line hit by an excavator; the fire department and NW Natural arrived to cap the pipe.

Nov. 16
11:42 a.m., N. Hemlock: Police assist with a female subject who required hospital transport. Medics arrived to take the woman

to Providence Seaside hospital.

5:18 p.m., N. Hemlock: A woman complaining of being short of breath was transported to Providence Seaside hospital by the Cannon Beach fire department.

Nov. 17
10:02 a.m., N. Hemlock: A lost hearing aid was turned in to police.

Nov. 18
1:05 p.m., Sunset Beach: A surfer who sustained a

serious gash to his head from the fin of a surfboard was transported to Providence Seaside hospital.

Nov. 19
8:07 a.m., Highway 101, Milepost 29.5: A deer reported still alive after being struck by a vehicle was humanely dispatched by a police officer.

Nov. 20
8:40 p.m., Elk Creek Road: A dog reported roaming the RV resort was unable to be located.

Nov. 21
1:00 p.m., Elk Creek Road: A person whose gas card was declined when he attempted to get gas said he would return immediately with the money but did not. Police located the individual who said they would pay that day.

Nov. 22
8:03 p.m., W. Siuslaw: A civil matter over a cab payment was settled by police presence.

CUSTOM LAVISH CANNON BEACH OCEAN FRONT
\$2,850,000

ARCH CAPE COTTAGE W/75' OF OCEANFRONT
\$1,029,000

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\$1,995,000

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\$429,500

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\$465,000

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\$579,500

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\$485,000

THREE OCEAN VIEW LOT'S
\$599,000

ONE OF A KIND OCEANFRONT
\$3,999,950

SWEET AFFORDABLE COTTAGE
\$375,000

SEASIDE COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL BUILDING
\$249,000

TRANQUIL SETTING
\$499,000

CANNON BEACH OCEANFRONT
\$1,499,000

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\$1,499,000

CANNON BEACH CUSTOM OCEAN FRONT
\$1,895,000

CUSTOM HOME TRANQUIL SETTING
\$659,000

LODGES AT CANNON BEACH 3 SHARES
\$75,000 TO \$90,000

TRANQUIL SETTING
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THREE OCEAN VIEW LOT'S
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