

DEATH NOTICES

Linda E. Abbott

Stanfield
Dec. 24, 1959-June 29, 2015

Linda E. Abbott, 55, of Stanfield died Monday, June 29, 2015, at her home. She was born Dec. 24, 1959, in Portland, Ore. A graveside service will be held Wednesday, July 8 at 10 a.m. at the Pleasant View Cemetery in Stanfield. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuary-hermiston.com.

Debra L. Wilson

Hermiston
Dec. 7, 1950-June 25, 2015

Debra L. Wilson, 64, of Hermiston died Thursday, June 25, 2015, in Portland. She was born Dec. 7, 1950, in Pendleton. Services are pending at Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Lenard 'David' Abercrombie

Irrigon
Oct. 27, 1957-June 25, 2015

Lenard "David" Abercrombie, 57, of Irrigon died Thursday, June 25, 2015, in Boardman. He was born Oct. 27, 1957, in Umatilla. Arrangements are pending at Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Tyler D. Brown

Hermiston
Jan. 13, 1990-June 22, 2015

Tyler D. Brown, 25, of Hermiston died Monday, June 22, 2015, near Rufus. He was born Jan. 13, 1990, in Hermiston. A celebration of life service will be held Thursday, July 2 at 11:30 a.m. at Burns Mortuary chapel, Hermiston. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online guest book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

John Raymond 'Jack' Sobotta

Hermiston
December 28, 1933-June 23, 2015

John Raymond "Jack" Sobotta passed away peacefully on Tuesday, June 23rd, in Hermiston surrounded by family. He was born in 1933 in Lewistown, Montana, and was raised in Lapwai, Idaho, on the Nez Perce Reservation, the fifth of seven siblings.



Sobotta

His father owned the town barber shop and his mother operated a restaurant that the family lived above on Main Street. Jack became immersed in the Native American culture, traditions and friendships during his youth and fondly recalled playing in the grassy hills of the Palouse, swimming in the Clearwater River, shooting pool with the adults at his father's business and working for various farmers to make enough money to buy books and baseballs.

Jack played varsity basketball and baseball for the Lapwai High Wildcats before attending Gonzaga University and earning his degree from the Washington State University College of Pharmacy in Pullman, Washington, in 1956. He completed his U.S. Army basic training at Fort Ord, California, in 1958 and served on active reserve duty until 1965.

Jack took his first job out of college in Chewelah, Washington, where he met and later married Eileen Rose Hansen in Spokane, Washington, on November 7, 1959. He moved his family to rainy Longview, Washington, in 1964 and finally settled in sunny Hermiston, Oregon, in 1966 where he worked as a pharmacist at the Hermiston Drug and raised eight children. In 1971 he partnered with his brother Jerry Sobotta to buy and operate the Hermiston Drug Store and later the Orchard Pharmacy. This is where Jack left his mark on the greater Hermiston community through his selflessness and dedication to serving his customers, employees and medical partners for over 27 years before his retirement in 1998.

He enjoyed many special trips including a religious

and aid pilgrimage to the holy sites in Medjugorje, Bosnia-Herzegovina, tours of various Civil War battlefields in the eastern United States and to South Bend, Indiana, to watch his beloved Notre Dame Fighting Irish football team play. Jack spent his

free time meticulously manicuring his yard when he was not attending a ballgame of one of his children, grandchildren or great-grandchildren. He was a passionate reader about the Catholic faith, studied Native American history and folklore and was a Civil War buff. He loved spending time visiting with friends and relatives and also rooting for his Washington State Cougs, Gonzaga Bulldogs, Fighting Irish and Seattle Mariners.

Jack is survived by his wife Eileen Sobotta of Hermiston, Ore.; sister Rosemary Webb of Lapwai, Idaho; brothers Jerry (Kay) Sobotta of Hermiston, Ore., and Bob (Loretta) Sobotta of Boise, Idaho; daughters Cheryl (Dan) Riley of Kennewick, Wash., Rita (Dave) Davis of Hermiston, Ore., and Debbie (John) Tolan of La Grande, Ore.; sons Rick (Nancy) Barnhart of Tigard, Ore., Perry Sobotta of Hermiston, Ore., Sam (Lisa) Sobotta of Bend, Ore., Matt (Davi) Sobotta of Seattle, Wash., and Tom (Heather) Sobotta of West Linn, Ore., as well as 19 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by parents George and Ann Sobotta, brothers George Sobotta Jr. and Dick Sobotta, sister Gloria Mullaney and great-grandchild Eastin Strebin.

Recitation of the Rosary and Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, June 29th, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church, with burial to follow in the Hermiston Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church building fund.

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

MONDAY, JUNE 29

- A possible burglary was reported on East Browning Avenue.
- An officer reported a suspicious male on a bicycle was hiding in the bushes on North First Street.
- A caller reported someone removed a section of fence from a property on Northeast Madrona Drive.
- Gold jewelry was reportedly stolen from a residence on West Madrona Avenue.
- Four people were reportedly fighting on East Pine Avenue.

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

- A caller reported it sounded like a group of people were fighting on Northwest 11th Street.
- A vehicle was reportedly keyed on Southeast Sixth Street.
- An officer reported hearing a loud boom on South Highway 395 near West Orchard Avenue.
- A phone was reportedly stolen at a business on West Highland Avenue.
- A caller reported a group of people were yelling in front of a residence on McConnell Lane.
- A white 2004 Ford F250 was reportedly stolen from a business on Westland Road.
- A caller reported at least 20 people were fighting on Robnett Street in Umatilla.

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

- A caller reported his truck was stolen from the parking lot of a business on East Main Street.
- Items were reportedly stolen from a business on North First Street.
- A caller reported a female driving a red Dodge Durango was trying to ram another vehicle in a motel parking lot on North First Street.
- A female was reportedly assaulted on Seventh Street in Umatilla.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

- A male was reportedly yelling at customers and causing a disturbance at a business on North First Street.
- A caller reported a credit card was stolen from an unlocked vehicle on East Hurlburt Avenue.
- A burglary was reported on Southwest Ninth Street.
- A teenage female was reportedly undressing on South Highway 395 near South Ott Road.
- A caller reported someone tried to pry open a fence to the back yard of a property on Sater Court.
- A phone and \$15 were reportedly stolen from the Hermiston Family Aquatic Center on West Elm Avenue.
- A caller reported a group of children was trying to pick fights with other children at Butte Park on Northwest Seventh

Street.

- A caller reported her nephew was stealing her air conditioner, generator and pump on Leezer Avenue in Echo.
- A caller reported a male in a blue Dodge pickup pointed a handgun at him on Highway 730 in Umatilla and followed him from Irrigon to Hermiston and further verbally harassed him.
- A blue 1992 Honda Accord was reportedly stolen on Willamette Avenue in Umatilla.
- A caller reported someone broke out the driver's side window of a vehicle on F Street in Umatilla.
- Items were reportedly stolen from a business on Stage Gulch Road in Stanfield.

ARRESTS

- Jaime Guerrero Castillo, 33: second-degree disorderly conduct.
- Neal Anthony Correa, 37: second-degree disorderly conduct.
- Shaun Michael Hirsch, 36: second-degree disorderly conduct.
- Eddie Terrell Scott, 18: failure to appear, probation violation.
- Dennis James Davis-Mayer, 30: driving under the influence of intoxicants, driving without a license, driving uninsured, failure to yield, refusal to take breath test.
- Andrew Benjamin Kauffman, 50: failure to appear, Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Curtiss Robert Pullum, 47: Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Gordon James Rock, 47: failure to report as a sex offender.
- Manuel Richard Quesada, 57: failure to report as a sex offender.
- Joseph Ray Stewart, 39: Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Mario Alberto Garcia, 59: failure to report as a sex offender.
- Brian Ayala, 20: furnishing alcohol to a minor.
- Charles Brian Barker, 42: Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Glinda Ann Rodriguez, 27: furnishing alcohol to a minor.
- James Cecil Downing, 39: Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Efen Castro Aguilar, 33: parole violation, Hermiston Municipal Court warrant — failure to pay fines.
- Gilbert Rizueno Munoz, 47: parole violation.
- Samantha Karleah Wolfer, 23: failure to pay fines.
- Blair Alan Simpson, 40: possession of methamphetamine.

COURTS

Judgments

PENDLETON — The following judgments have been rendered in Umatilla County courts:

- Capital One Bank vs. Glenn J. Greiner; judgment for \$13,177.72 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Cavalry SPV I LLC vs. Troy and Jamie R. Stewart; judgment for \$1,607.95 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Wanda Harris; judgment for \$651.20 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Jennifer Bartlett; judgment for \$527.53 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Erica Schmidt; judgment for \$4,763.40 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. James Davis; judgment for \$1,642.38 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Evelyn Oxinio; judgment for \$1,539.58 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Ann Denney; judgment for \$8,568.29 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Adan Maldonado and Nancy Islas; judgment for \$8,622.61 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Marcos and Blanca Rosales; judgment for \$4,391.38 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Danielle and Christopher Mallory; judgment for \$6,054.92 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Nancy R. Hughes; judgment for \$3,621.88 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Stephanie Portillo and Lyman Branson II; judgment for \$5,943.43 plus interest, costs and fees.
- HSBC Bank USA N.A. vs.

Gilbert L. and Shana E. Boyer; judgment for \$94,319.81 plus interest, costs and fees.

Sentences

PENDLETON — The following sentences have been imposed in Umatilla County courts:

- FELONY**
- Marrisa Elizabeth Gonzalez, 21, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Possession of Methamphetamine; sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, \$440 fine and \$750 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.
- MISDEMEANOR**
- Harry Owen Oxford, 43, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Harassment; sentenced to 88 days jail-suspended, 18 months probation, \$140 fine and \$800 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.
- Christopher Jason Forman, 40, Stanfield, pleaded no contest to Interference With Making Report; sentenced to 3 days jail, 180 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, \$440 fine and \$1,250 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.
- Travis Leroy Grigsby, 35, Hermiston, was found in Contempt of Court-punitive; sentenced to 90 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, \$100 fine and \$400 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees; pleaded no contest to Physical Harassment; sentenced to 90 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, \$40 fine and \$400 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.

- Rehyshaun Supuni, 23, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Assault IV-domestic violence; sentenced to 50 days jail, 180 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation, \$440 fine and \$1,000 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees; pleaded guilty to Strangulation-domestic violence; sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation, \$40 fine and \$1,400 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.
- Logan Neil Wright, 29, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Driving While Suspended; sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, 40 hours community service, \$940 fine and \$750 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.
- Julian Michael Zapien, 21, Hermiston, was convicted of Contempt of Court-punitive; sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, 40

hours community service, \$100 fine and \$400 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees.

Divorces

PENDLETON — Divorce decrees were signed in Umatilla County Courts for:

- Rafaela Garcia Rodriguez and Reinaldo Jaime Avila; Stephanie Elaine Duquette and David Adrien Duquette; Erik Scott Beal and Sarah Ann Beal; Jenifer Lynn Hill-Knudsen and Jaius Lee Knudsen; Douglas Scott Freske and Marlene Kay Freske.

Marriages

PENDLETON — Marriage licenses have been registered in Umatilla County for:

- Emeterio Garcia-Torrero, 30, and Maria Carmen Garavito, 32, both of Hermiston.
- Drew Allen Martin, 28, and Aspasia Thea, 34, both of Hermiston.
- Armando Salas Rodriguez, 32, and Marisela Mendoza, 29, both of Hermiston.
- Tracy Lee Waldo, 41, and Rita Mabelle Sherman, 29, both of Hermiston.

AWARDS

EOU presents student awards

From musicians to mathematicians, educators to economists, artists to athletes, Eastern Oregon University presented a total of 39 awards to undergraduate and graduate students at its annual awards assembly June 12.

Three Hermiston students earned academic

awards during the assembly. **Mary Hawman** was recognized for her excellence in business administration and accounting. **Anthony Eisenbarth** received recognition for his work in economics. **Brian Eisenbarth** was honored for his philosophy work.

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