

# OBITUARIES



**JAMES ARTHUR JORDAN, JR.**

BANGOR - James Arthur Jordan, Jr., loving and loyal son, brother and friend, passed away peacefully at Eastern Maine Medical Center on Thursday, April 28, 2016.

Jim was born in Waterville, Maine on June 15, 1959. He grew up on the family farm in Pinelawn, N.Y. until the family moved to Blue Point, N.Y. As a teenager he worked digging clams and in boat yards on the Great South Bay.

He graduated from Ohio Diesel Technical Institute and worked as a master mechanic, finally retiring from the City of Bangor Motor Pool for health reasons in 2014.

Jim's favorite pastimes were being outdoors. He loved hunting, fishing, boating, motorcycling and listening to a variety of music.

We thank his numerous friends who flocked to his side and to the aide of the family in his last days. We know he was loved and is sorely missed.

A service in celebration of Jim's life will be held in Maine in August and for family and friends in Blue Point, N.Y. in November. He will be interred in the family plot in Pinelawn, N.Y.

**MARGARET CHENEY HARRINGTON**

MONMOUTH - Margaret Cheney Harrington, 98, passed away May 2, at Marshwood Center in Lewiston, Maine. She was born June 2, 1917 in Biddeford, Maine, the daughter of Irville and Gladys (Umberhind) Cheney.

She grew up in Monmouth, living at Highmoor Farm where her father was the superintendent. A graduate of Monmouth Academy, Margaret then attended the University of Maine receiving a degree in nursing. Her class was the first class to obtain a Bachelor Degree in nursing from the University of Maine. As a registered nurse she worked in hospitals and doctors' offices. She also did private duty nursing and worked for the Tuberculosis Association. She finished her career as a social worker for homebound patients and those in nursing facilities. Her caring acts and good deeds were many. Margaret's moral code dictated that she was "on call" for those she served and her contributions to their lives were significant and sincere. On June 14, 1944 she married Joseph L. Harrington of Patten Maine. Throughout their married life they lived in North Carolina, Maine, Texas, Ohio, New Jersey, and Michigan. In 1977 they returned to Monmouth to live in the Cheney family home until Joseph passed away in 2009. Margaret led a full life. She enjoyed bowling, tennis, golf, camping, crossword puzzles, jigsaw puzzles, bridge and cooking. Apple pies were her specialty.

Margaret is survived by her five children: James Harrington his wife Sally of Portage, Michigan, Warren Harrington and his wife Lucia of Marquette, Michigan, Vicki Banton and her husband Craig of Cumberland Center, Maine, Rita Rivers and husband Ronald of Auburn, Washington and Paula Miller of Palatka, Florida. She is also survived by nine grandchildren: John, Peter, Robert, Christen, Kelly, Stacia, Ryan, Tyler and Dylan, as well as ten great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph, her parents, and her brother James.

The family would like to thank the employees of Marshwood Center for the loving care they gave Margaret these last seven years. Services for Margaret will be held Tuesday, May 10 at Bragdon-Finley Funeral Home, 707 Main Street, Monmouth, Maine.

There will be a visitation with the family at 10:00, followed by a service at 11:30AM Interment will follow at Monmouth Ridge Cemetery, Cemetery Road, Monmouth, Maine. Messages of condolence may be sent to: [www.finleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.finleyfuneralhome.com)



**NORMAN "SHORTY" LONG**

ASHLAND - Norman "Shorty" J. Long, 90, passed away May 6, 2016 at The Aroostook Medical Center, after a long hard fight with COPD, surrounded by all his loving family. He was born January 15, 1926 in Portage, the son of the late Thomas & Alice (Dugas) Long.

Shorty was a Navy Veteran, serving as a gunnery man on the U.S.S. WASP. He had many titles and jobs during his life and did whatever was needed to support his family. He worked at Ashland Water & Sewer, Charles Brooks, Carpenter, and most recently and retiring as Water Treatment Plant Supervisor at Loring Air Force Base for 25 years. He was a lifetime member of the Ashland Fire Department for 61 years, where he also became Honorary House Chief. He dedicated his life and time to his community in so many ways, but mostly to the love of his church and cemeteries for 35 years. He knew a back-hoe like no other and would often be found digging holes where no one else would go. He had many fond memories of socializing with friends and family along with family trips and gatherings at the family camp at St. Froid Lake. He loved to fish and was so often seen poling down the Big Machias River in his boat with both boys or with his long time fishing buddy Rene Cloukey. He served on many boards, clubs and organizations -- way too many to list! He will be greatly missed by special friends: Patti Neilson, Stan Anderson, Ida Charette and all the girls at Ashland One-Stop; thanks for the great, daily curbside service. The family would like to express a sincere thanks to the many caregivers who aided in his wonderful care and rehab: Maine Veterans Home, TAMC ER, Medical Surgical Floor nurses and doctors. You all were amazing.

He is survived and will be greatly missed by his family: two sons, Norman "Dick" R. Long and wife Kathy of Presque Isle and Patrick Long and wife Tracy of Ashland; two very special grandchildren, Christopher (his little gopher) and Danielle Long Boyles and her husband Eric, both of Ashland; two great grandchildren, Landon and Lainey; one sister, Stella Homovich of Anna Maria Is., FL; and many special nieces and nephews.

Shorty is predeceased by his wife of 66 years Bernadette "Bunny" Long, a daughter, Barbara Ann, two brothers, Lawrence and Clarence Long, one sister, Ella York, and a special companion for many years, the family dog "Fluffy."

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 AM on Wednesday, May 11, 2016, at St. Mark's Catholic Church, Allen Farm Rd., Ashland. Relatives and friends may greet the family Tuesday 6-8:00 PM and Wednesday morning 9-10:45 AM at the church. Burial will follow in the parish cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations in Shorty's name may be made to: Ashland Fire Department or Ambulance Department, PO Box 910, Ashland, ME 04732. Arrangements are a service of Lajoie Funeral Home, 114 Exchange St./PO Box 39, Ashland. To share condolences online, please visit [www.LajoieFuneralHome.com](http://www.LajoieFuneralHome.com)

**In Memoriam**

In Loving Memory Of **MICHAEL ANDREW JACKSON**  
Dec. 11, 1945 - May 9, 2010  
Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us everyday.

Love, Wife, Rose; daughters, Donna and Debbie; and grandchildren

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**WILLIAM RICKER HOUSTON SYMONDS "WILL"**

BANGOR - Will lost his battle with heroin addiction on May 6, 2016. He was born on March 21, 1994, the son of Heather M. Houston and Jonathan I. Symonds. His birth was joyously celebrated.

Will graduated from Bangor High School in 2012. He was a good friend to many throughout his school years. Will was a distinguished member of the Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corp, serving as battalion commander during his senior year. He loved playing soccer and was a member of the BHS soccer team for four years, as well as many local travel teams. Will was also on the BHS swim team for four years; according to Coach Phil Emery, "he had a little too much Symonds in him to be a star swimmer." One of Will's happiest memories was being a co-emcee of the annual BHS Talent Show his senior year. He loved to make people laugh.

After graduating, Will attended Norwich University in Northfield, Vermont - the oldest private military college in the country. After one year there, he enlisted in the Army Reserves and had plans to attend basic training the spring of 2014. After suffering a work injury while employed as a host at Governor's Restaurant, he was discharged from the Reserves. Three surgeries on his wrist contributed to his struggle with addiction. Will was employed as an IT support specialist at EMHS at the time of his death, and had very recently returned from a rehab program in Texas. Will was a kind, gentle and loving soul; he gave the best hugs ever. His passing leaves a long shadow over the many who love him.

Will was predeceased by his namesake, his maternal grandfather, William M. Houston, Sr.; his paternal grandmother, Dorothea Symonds Tyler, and his uncle, David Symonds. He is survived by his mother, Heather; his father, Jon and his wife, Sally; a very dear friend, Jeanne Paradis; his maternal grandmother, Ruth Houston England and her husband, Richard. Will leaves behind his beloved siblings: Trevor, Abigail, Madelyn and Erica, as well as numerous aunts, uncles and cousins, and his dear girlfriend, Makinzie. He loved his close friends, too numerous to name, but we hope you know who you are. Will's sweet heart, his quirky humor, and his winning smile were his finest features.

Relatives and friends are invited to call 5-7 pm. Wednesday May 11, 2016 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St. Bangor. A service in celebration of his life will be held 1 pm. Thursday May 12, 2016 at Hammond St. Congregational Church, 28 High St, Bangor, with the Rev. Dr. Mark Allen Doty, pastor officiating.

Those wishing to remember Will in a special way may contribute in his memory to the Bangor Area Recovery Network, 142 Center St., Brewer, ME. 04412, or [www.bangorrecovery.org](http://www.bangorrecovery.org). Condolences to the family may be expressed at [www.BrookingsSmith.com](http://www.BrookingsSmith.com).

**Somerset County Co-op schedule**

The University of Maine Somerset County Cooperative Extension Homemakers has posted its calendar for May: — "Herbs," 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 10, private home in Ripley. — "Herbs," 10 a.m. Thursday, May 12, fire station, Solon. — "Energy," 1 p.m. Saturday, May 14, Town Hall, Cambridge. — "Painting," 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 18, Methodist Church fellowship hall, Clinton. Extension Homemakers are partners with the University of Maine Cooperative Extension. It extends adult



**JULIE MARIE (SUTHERLAND) MOELLER**

BROOKS - Julie Marie (Sutherland) Moeller, 53, died unexpectedly on May 6, 2016, from a heart condition. She was born on April 18, 1963, the daughter of Jolayne (Stevens) Davis and Barrie Sutherland.

Julie was a 1981 graduate of Old Town High School and was currently fulfilling her dream of completing her Bachelor's Degree. Julie's long career and experience in social services led her advocacy for those with developmental disabilities, anyone in need and especially volunteering for the Special Olympics. Her interest in politics often led her to volunteering for a candidate and her proudest moment of creating a State of Maine declaration of unfair wages for those who do direct care for developmentally disabled people.

On July 4th, 1999 Julie was married to Rich Moeller and loved being the "Wicked Step Mom" to his sons Zachary and Nicholas.

She loved them like they were her own and they loved her right back.

Julie filled a room with her presence whenever she arrived (usually late - aka "Julie time") at which time the party started. Everyone was her friend and most called her Auntie. Her favorite place to be was by the campfire at Beech Hill Pond with a cold Sam Adams, listening to the loons and playing an "honest" game of cribbage.

She was predeceased by her father, Barrie Sutherland and her brother, Dirk Sutherland and is survived by her husband, Rich Moeller of Brooks; her step sons, Nicholas Moeller of Old Town, Zachary Moeller (and his fiancé Amanda Smith) of Bangor; her mom, Jolayne and stepdad David Davis of Milford; her step mom, Joyce Sutherland of Enfield; her siblings: Robin and her husband Jed Chase of Farmington, Hoyt Sutherland and his wife Lisa of Hanover, NH; her sister and brother-in-law, Judy and Keith Nealley of Monroe; nieces and nephews: Erica Nealley (and her fiancé Frank Cookson) of Old Town, Brittany Harris (and her family, Jeff, Griffin and Noelle) of Monroe, Parker and Samantha Sutherland of N.H. and Bailey Sutherland of Hampden. She will be greatly missed by her beloved dog Qia and her Beech Hill Pond extended family. Julie also leaves behind many dear friends, Mark Buck (with whom she always said she shared a "brain cell"), Scott Archer, Troy Pinkham, Robin Kinney, and her special family friend, Phyllis Brooks.

A celebration of Julie's life will be held 2 PM, Saturday, May 14, 2016, at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center Street, Bangor. The family invites relatives and friends to share conversation and refreshments at the Family Reception Center of Brookings-Smith, 163 Center Street, Bangor, following the service. Gifts in Julie's memory may be sent to Special Olympics 125 John Roberts Rd #5, S Portland ME 04106. Condolences to the family may be expressed at [www.BrookingsSmith.com](http://www.BrookingsSmith.com).



**BARBARA (SMITH) CAMERON**

BREWER AND BANGOR - Barbara Cameron, 84, formerly of East Corinth, died May 4, 2016 at her home. She was born in Cape Elizabeth, December 26, 1931 the daughter of Harold G. and Josephine (Brown) Smith.

She attended schools in East Corinth until 1947. Thereafter she attended schools in South Portland, Lincoln, Auburn and Scarborough, graduating from Portland High School in 1950. Barbara received a Bachelor of Science in Education Degree from Gorham State Teachers College and a Master of Education Degree from the University of Maine at Portland-Gorham.

In 1953, Barbara took a position as secretary at Union Mutual Life Insurance Company in Portland. Some years later, the company established a library and she was hired as its first librarian. For nineteen years, starting in 1963, Barbara taught school in Brunswick and Holden, retiring in 1994. Between teaching positions, she worked as a secretary at Farrington Financial Services in Bangor. After that, she operated a daycare for two years from her home.

Barbara loved the outdoors, eventually joining the Appalachian Mountain Club. She and her mother were very close and took several camping trips out West.

In 1956, Barbara married Alan Field, who died of cancer only six months later. He died six months later. In 2007, at age seventy-five, she received a huge blessing when she joined St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Hampden. Barbara derived great comfort and joy from this. It was at St. Matthew's that she met her precious (verbally adopted) daughter, Nancy Grover. Barbara had a life-long friend, Jannette (Nichols) Palmer. They met in East Corinth when Barbara was six years old.

She is survived by second cousins, Eugene Stocker, Richard Stocker, Diane Davis, and Charles Perkins.

Relatives and friends are welcome to call 4-6 pm. Tue May 10, 2016 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 am. Wednesday May 11, 2016 at St. Paul the Apostle Parish St. John's Catholic Church, 207 York St., Bangor, followed by a reception in the parish hall.

The Rite of Committal will be held at Mt. Hope Cemetery, at a later date.

Those wishing to remember her in a special way, may contribute in her memory to the American Cancer Society, One Bowdoin Mill Island, Suite 300, Topsham, ME. 04086.

Condolences to the family may be expressed at [www.BrookingsSmith.com](http://www.BrookingsSmith.com).



**ANNABELLE "NAN" (ALLEN) MCGLAUFLIN**

PRESQUE ISLE AND MILLINOCKET - Annabelle "Nan" (Allen) McGlaufflin died peacefully at TAMC in Presque Isle on May 6, 2016, surrounded by her family. She was born on August 6, 1933, the daughter of Rellon and Sadie (Coty) Allen of Presque Isle.

After graduating from Presque Isle High School in 1952, Nan began her career in banking at Northern National Bank in Presque Isle. In 1972, she married Philip M. McGlaufflin of Presque Isle, and the couple moved to Millinocket. Nan worked as a loan officer at Katahdin Federal Credit Union until her retirement in 1993, when she and Phil returned to Presque Isle to their camp on Echo Lake, which Phil modeled into a beautiful home for them.

During her retirement years, she loved having the opportunity to focus on her homemaking, having time to spend with family and friends, and the frequent camping trips she took with Phil. Nan was a devoted wife and daughter, beloved sister and aunt, and dear friend of Ray and Cristi Quirion and their children. She was fortunate to have the friendship and care of the residents and staff of Aroostook Health Center in Mars Hill.

She is survived by her husband; sister, Dorothy Allen; two brothers and their wives: Rellon Jr. ("Sonny") and Jackie Allen, and Kenneth and Carol Allen, all of Presque Isle; two sisters-in-law: Joyce Allen of Presque Isle and Charlotte Allen of Easton; a special brother, John Powers of Presque Isle; special grandchildren, Callie and Chase Quirion; stepdaughter, Gayle (Beckwith) Stinson and her husband Edgar, and their daughters, Elizabeth Stinson & Stacey Hirshhorn; as well as many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents; first husband, Byron Beckwith; and their infant son; sister, Cookie; and three brothers: George, Robert, and Larry.

Friends may call from 5-7 PM Tuesday, May 10th at Duncan Graves Funeral Home in Presque Isle. A mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at the Parish of the Precious Blood, Presque Isle at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, May 11th. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Nanny's memory to Aroostook House of Comfort, PO Box 867, Presque Isle, ME 04769 or Angel Flights NE, Lawrence Municipal Airport, 492 Sutton St, North Andover, MA 01845. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family at [www.duncan-graves.com](http://www.duncan-graves.com)

**Veterans farm field day in Penobscot**

PENOBSCOT — Paul Schultz will host a free military veteran farm field day 1-3 p.m. Sunday, May 15, at King Hill Farm on 29 Faerie Kingdom Road.

Schultz, a military veteran and farmer, owns and operates the certified organic farm with his wife, Amanda Provencher. The field day is intended to give current and prospective growers and ranchers informa-

tion about farming with a tour, discussion and practical demonstrations.

The Farmer Veteran Coalition of Maine and Maine AgrAbility will sponsor the public event. For information, or to request a disability accommodation, call Lani Carlson at 944-1533, email [leilani.carlson@maine.edu](mailto:leilani.carlson@maine.edu), or visit [extension.umaine.edu/agrability/news-events](http://extension.umaine.edu/agrability/news-events).

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